



Photo by Lisa Adelsberger

The Andona Society's Clown Town will be held Saturday, rain or shine, in The Park at Bartlet and Chestnut streets. Celebrating the annual fun day are, from left in the front, John Norton, 7, and Meredith Voiland, 10. In the back, from left, are Brianna Norton, 9, and Siobhan Norton, 3. For more about Clown Town, see page 24.

Selectmen are down on Rec Park as youth center site

By Don Staruk

Selectman Gerald Silverman Monday night indicated he would not support building a youth center at Recreation Park. He clarified his position after his board's weekly meeting.

"Rec Park won't fly. You can quote me on that. It won't fly," Mr. Silverman said.

Two weeks ago Chairman Larry Larsen expressed similar sentiments when he asked Katie Brown and other members of the Youth Council if they would consider another location if it becomes clear that Rec Park

is not a good site, or if they would give up the youth center idea. Brian Major, Council adviser, said the group will continue to look at alternative sites, and Dr. Larsen said after that meeting that, politically, the Rec Park site could have problems.

"I think it's going to be hard to sell the Rec Park site," Dr. Larsen said.

Youth Council member Don Pattullo Monday night asked selectmen for a vote of support for the concept of a youth center, regardless of location, and of the council's effort to

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Former Red Sox catcher Jerry Moses buys Silverado

By Don Staruk

Silverado Athletic Club was purchased this week by former Boston Red Sox catcher Jerry Moses of North Andover. Mr. Moses and his daughter, Kristin Moses, will run the business.

"Kristin will now oversee the day-to-day operations of the club with the support and

guidance of the current staff," Mr. Moses wrote in a letter to members.

One of the first rumors Mr. Moses wanted to dispel was that the all-women's health club was going coed. It is not.

"Silverado will remain an all-women's health club," Mr. Moses said.

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Dick Neal settles in He says he will be working on communication, 'now through forever'

By Neil Fater

When Dick Neal started his career as a math teacher, Andover had only one junior high and no youth hockey league. Today, the town has two middle schools and, in part thanks to Mr. Neal, a hockey association that hosts hundreds of young skaters and scorers each season.



Dick Neal

superintendent seat, he is faced with a ballooning student population, three major construction projects and state mandates requiring curriculum change. All of these will demand his immediate attention during his first year.

Yet, there is one area he said he must deal with before the

others. Mr. Neal has seen plenty of changes in Andover and its schools since he taught at Andover Junior High. Perhaps the most rapid change will come during the next few years.

As Mr. Neal settles into the

others.

"The most immediate - and it's probably something that's not going to be done overnight, but it's going to take some time - is to re-open in a positive way

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School Committee limits community-input time

By Neil Fater

The School Committee has a new weapon in its battle with community members regarding the Sam Campbell issue - the stopwatch.

After seeing impromptu community input knock established items off the agenda recently, Chairwoman Susan Dalton came to Tuesday's meeting armed with an idea - and a timer.

Her idea was to limit community input to three minutes per person per issue.

David Birnbach, committee member, cautioned that this was

setting a precedent that would change the current open-ended section of the meeting, but said he would go along with the majority decision. Committee

217 students: 'We want Sam Campbell.'

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members discussed the concept and agreed, without a vote, to try it for a while.

Out came the timer.

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Silverado

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"The reason for doing this is to make this the very best club that there is anywhere in the area," Mr. Moses said Wednesday. "It's going to be done with good programming, state-of-the-art equipment and the number-one concern is the membership."

He said he plans to give the employees the tools to do whatever they want to do.

"In addition, it is important to note that Silverado is financially sound," Mr. Moses said.

Mr. Moses closed the deal last Monday, May 15.

Christine Estabrook, formerly of 3 Bryan Lane, founded Silverado at 63 Park St. in September of 1991 with 20 part-time workers and about 100 members. Silverado moved to the current location, on the third floor of the Barnard Building at 10-16 Main St., in January, 1992, adding locker rooms, showers and other services. It has since expanded to the second floor of the building, and now occupies more than 11,000 square feet.

The owner of the Barnard Building, Tom Belhumeur, made arrangements to take control of

the business from Ms. Estabrook earlier this year after she ran into personal and financial problems.

Silverado has about 950 members. Mr. Moses began looking at the business six weeks ago. After doing his homework on its financial status, management and growth potential, he closed the deal.

He had also looked at the staff.

"We found out it was better than good. It was extraordinary," he said. "The people who run this club right now are so good. I think it's a great opportunity for Kristin."

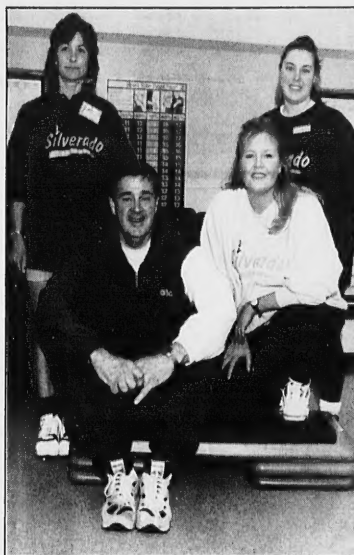
"I will be in the club every day," Ms. Moses said. "I'm just going to be added to the team."

"I'm a certified personal trainer as well, so I hope to do some of that too," Ms. Moses said.

"I didn't buy this club for my daughter. I bought this club because it's a good business," Mr. Moses said.

Mr. Moses said he will not be there too often. Walking through the club Wednesday he was apologizing to everyone for intruding. He is sensitive to the fact that women like the club because it is all women.

"My involvement will be on the business side behind the scenes," he said. Everything will be painted and new carpeting



Jerry Moses, the new owner of Silverado, poses with his daughter, Kristin, seated at right, and with Edie Peterson, director of aerobics (back left) and Lory Stasio, member services director.

Photo by Lisa Adelsberger

Mr. Moses was a member of the 1967 Red Sox Impossible Dream Team that won the pennant before losing the World Series to the St. Louis Cardinals. Originally from Mississippi, he signed with the Red Sox in 1964.

"I signed my baseball contract right out of high school when I was 17 years old," he said. "I hit my first home run when I was 18."

He went back to the minor leagues, but came back up for the last 42 days of the storied '67 season, long enough to get his American League Championship ring. He played for the Red Sox three more seasons, capping his career here by making the All Star Team in 1970.

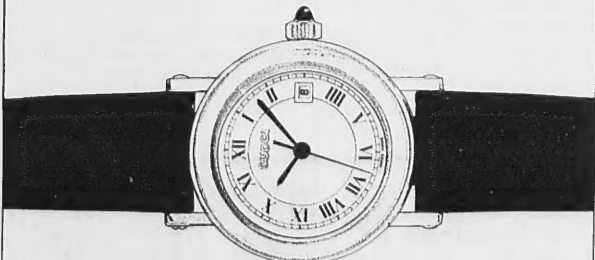
"The day that I found out I made the All Star Team was the day Kristin was born."

He was traded along with Tony Conigliaro to the California Angels at the end of 1970. He played for the Angels, Cleveland Indians, New York Yankees, Detroit Tigers, New York Mets, San Diego Padres and Chicago White Sox before being released by the White Sox in 1975.

will be installed where needed. "Also there'll be some new equipment coming in to add to existing equipment," Mr. Moses said.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Memorial Day to include services, parade, Golden Knights

Andover will hold Memorial Day services Monday, May 29, beginning with a service at 7 a.m. at West Parish Cemetery. Services will also be held at 7:30 a.m. at St. Augustine's Cemetery, at 8 a.m. at Spring Grove Cemetery and at 10:15 a.m. at Memorial Auditorium, off The Park on Bartlet and Chestnut streets.

The parade will begin at 9:30 a.m. and go from Elm Street to Main Street to Bartlet Street to the Memorial Auditorium where ceremonies will be held, honoring Andover's World War II veterans.

Guest speaker at Memorial Auditorium will be Rear Admiral James G. Prout III.

At 1 p.m., the U.S. Army Parachute Team Golden Knights will perform at the Playstead to the rear of Doherty Middle School. The Golden Knights will demonstrate their aerobatic skills including new parachuting techniques and equipment.

For further information, contact John Lewis, Andover's Veterans Services director at 470-3800 Ext. 329.

1996 350th celebration events

Here is a list of events planned so far for Andover's 350th celebration in 1996: Jan. 21, 3-5 p.m. Kickoff - An afternoon of American song, reception and fireworks.

Feb. 17, "Andover at 400" - What kind of community should/will Andover be in 2046?

March 23, Celebration Ball - Phillips Academy.

April 22-28, Festival of the Arts - drama, art displays, an evening of music and dance.

May 3, 4, 5, Anniversary weekend - encampment of 28th Civil War unit, pancake breakfast, mini plays, enter-

tainment and games.

May 11, The anniversary banquet - Merrimack College; former President George Bush is the speaker.

June 15, House and garden tour.

June 23, Bicycle race.

July 4, Firefighters Muster.

Aug. 30, 31, Sept. 1, soccer tournament with Andover, England, and all Andovers in New England.

Sept. 15, Anniversary parade.

Sept. 21 Boston Pops concert.

Town receives \$2K grant for bike signs

The town of Andover has been awarded a \$2,000 grant to purchase bicycle route signs and bicycle crossing signs from the Governor's Highway Safety Bureau. The town's highway division will soon install the signs along two routes that travel through sections of West Andover, Ballardvale and Harold Parker State Forest.

Last year Massachusetts enacted a child bicycle helmet law, one of only eight states to do so. A few key provisions of this law include:

- Children 12 and under who are operator of, or passengers on, a bicycle must wear a properly fitted and fastened helmet while riding on public ways and public property;

- Children less than 1 year old may not ride as a passenger on any type of bicycle.

- A bicycle "baby seat" is required for a child riding as a passenger between the age 1 and 4, or weighing 40 pounds or less.

One of the bicycle routes was proposed by the Andover Bicycle Committee, which has worked hard to educate town residents about bicycle safety and bicycle routes throughout the community. For more information about this committee, contact Jerry Sabath.

Maps of the bicycle routes will be available shortly at town offices, Memorial Hall Library, and the information center at Old Town Hall. For information about the routes, call Laura DeGroot at the planning depart-

ment, 470-3800, Ext. 268.

Town gets \$3K grant for safety equipment

The town of Andover was awarded a \$3,000 grant from the Governor's Highway Safety Bureau last year to purchase 75 safety barrels and 50 barricade flashers. The town's highway division will soon have these barrels to identify road hazards.

Town receives \$8K grant for recycling

State Sen. John D. O'Brien, D-Andover, has announced that the Department of Environmental Protection has approved a solid waste recycling equipment grant for the town of Andover.

Andover was selected to receive the grant for the 1995 fiscal year and will receive two roll-off containers, valued at more than \$8,000.

Andover was selected because its program demonstrates a commitment and an ability to enhance recycling in the town and the Commonwealth, according to Sen O'Brien.

"I would like to commend the residents of Andover for their commitment to preserving the environment and their ability to work together to educate the community on the importance of recycling," said Sen. O'Brien.

Paint recycling Saturday

The town will hold a paint recycling collection Saturday, May 20, from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. at West Middle School.

This is a paint only recovery program. Other items, such as household hazardous waste, will not be accepted. The health Department asks residents not to combine paints but to leave them in their original containers. Accepted will be Latex paint, oil-based paints, varnishes and stains. Aerosol spray paint cans, solvents and thinners will not be accepted.

Quote, unquote . . .

'If the elephant gets scared and runs, please hold on tight. If you fall down, we cannot stop to help you,' the guide informed us cheerfully."

Champa Bilwakesh, in a guest column about her mother, page 42

'It would be only fair to tell you that I am a flag-waving, card-carrying member of the Sam Campbell fan club.'

Cliff Davis, in a letter, page 48

'There are a lot of areas where, as a result of events or perceptions or other considerations, the lines of communication have broken down, and that is certainly something I need to work on energetically from now to forever, I guess.'

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South School project smooth; schedule is tight

By Neil Fater

The School Building Committee is so happy with the South School construction project, it has asked Jim Heiberg, the South architect, to work on the Sanborn project as

well.

As of May 11 there was only \$3,200 in change orders on the \$8 million project.

But some officials are starting to wonder if the project will be 100 percent completed when school opens in September.

Jim Marsh, School Committee chairman, said for the first time he received a letter from the contractor, R.W. Granger, that said certain events "will delay the completion of

the project." Mr. Marsh told Mr. Heiberg he begins to become concerned "when I see the may's changed to will's."

"I know that right now the timetable on that is extremely tight," Dick Neal, superintendent, said of the South project. "I talked to the contractor (Friday) and it's going to be very tight to have that school open in September and so it's going to be necessary to do a lot of work between now and then to make sure

that we're ready."

There was a meeting Friday morning to deal with complaints regarding excessive dust within the elementary building.

Sharman Lappin, project manager, also wants to stop town garbage trucks from driving across the new playing fields to pick up trash. The contractor was blamed for this, until a resident said he's seen garbage trucks driving across the soccer field.

John O'Brien to hold office hours

State Senator John D. O'Brien, D-Andover, will hold office hours Monday, May 22, at the Senior Citizen Center on Bartlet Street from 10 to 11 a.m., and at Memorial Hall Library on Elm Square from 6 to 7 p.m. All residents are welcome.

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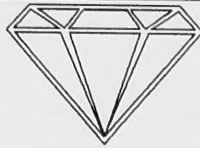
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South School project smooth; schedule is tight

By Neil Fater

The School Building Committee is so happy with the South School construction project, it has asked Jim Heiberg, the South architect, to work on the Sanborn project as

John O'Brien to hold office hours

State Senator John D. O'Brien, D-Andover, will hold office hours Monday, May 22, at the Senior Citizen Center on Bartlet Street from 10 to 11 a.m., and at Memorial Hall Library on Elm Square from 6 to 7 p.m. All residents are welcome.

For inquiries, call his office at the Statehouse: (617) 722-1612.

well.

As of May 11 there was only \$3,200 in change orders on the \$8 million project.

But some officials are starting to wonder if the project will be 100 percent completed when school opens in September.

Jim Marsh, School Committee chairman, said for the first time he received a letter from the contractor, R.W. Granger, that said certain events "will delay the completion of

the project," Mr. Marsh told Mr. Heiberg he begins to become concerned "when I see the may's changed to will's."

"I know that right now the timetable on that is extremely tight," Dick Neal, superintendent, said of the South project. "I talked to the contractor (Friday) and it's going to be very tight to have that school open in September and so it's going to be necessary to do a lot of work between now and then to make sure

that we're ready."

There was a meeting Friday morning to deal with complaints regarding excessive dust within the elementary building.

Sharman Lappin, project manager, also wants to stop town garbage trucks from driving across the new playing fields to pick up trash. The contractor was blamed for this, until a resident said he's seen garbage trucks driving across the soccer field.



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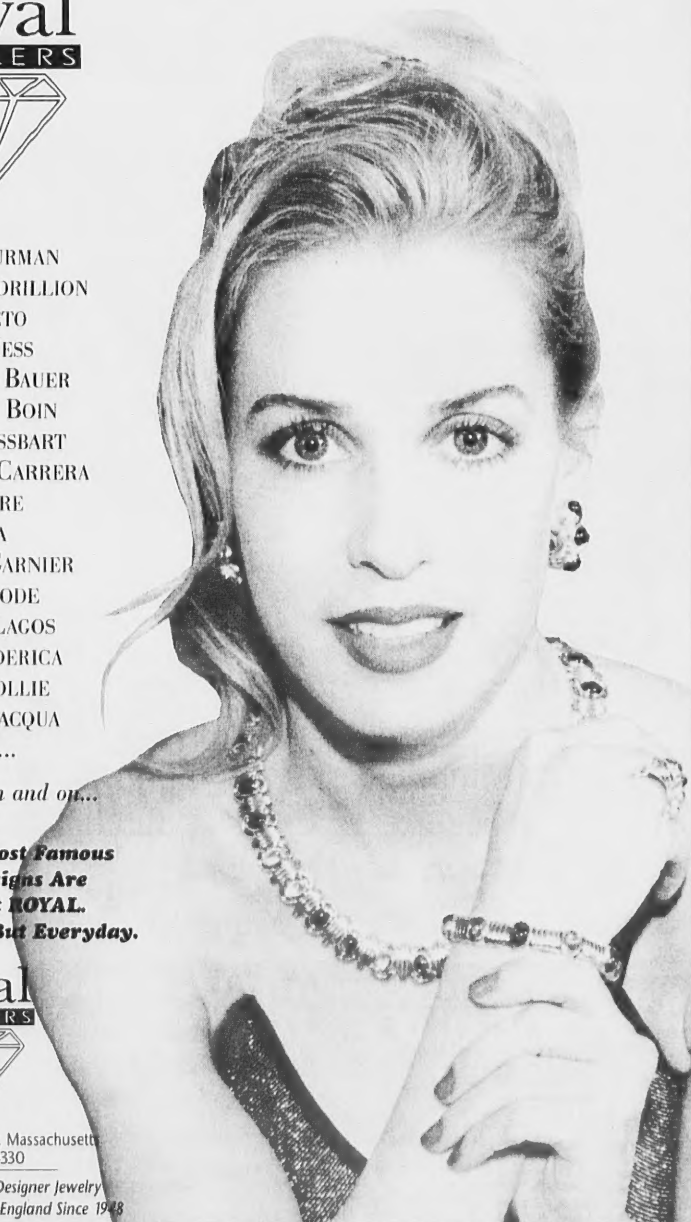
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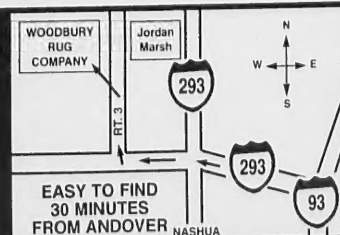
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Selectmen to view 13 potential sites for new fields

By Don Staruk

Selectmen and anyone else interested will have the opportunity this Sunday to take a tour of 13 sites being considered as possible locations for three new athletic fields in town.

Peg Campbell, Department of Community Services program coordinator, will lead the tour, starting at town offices at 1 p.m. Sunday, May 21.

Town Manager Buzz Stapczynski said Tuesday that the list of potential sites was not ready to be released to the public, despite the fact that a caller during the board's call-in section of the meeting asked that the list be published in the *Townsmen*.

But one of the sites discussed was a piece of land on Osgood Street owned by Raytheon Corp. When the land in West Andover was rezoned for Raytheon back in the 1960s, an arrangement was made to have a piece of Raytheon property remain available for community use, according to Ms. Campbell. That is one of the sites now

being considered for one or more fields. Other companies in town are also being contacted to see if any others may have land available for an athletic field.

Ms. Campbell is coordinating the search for a home for the two new soccer fields and one new baseball field. After strong opposition to a proposal to level the woods behind South School to put the fields there, Ms. Campbell has taken a step back and begun a broad look at different locations. She told selectmen Monday night that she may find a place for all three fields, or it may be determined that one or two fields need to go one place, and the third would go in a different location.

Ms. Campbell asked Steve Colyer, town planning director, for a list of criteria that should be considered for each site. She now wants to ask members of various boards, committees and town departments to comment on the sites regarding their own areas of expertise. Residents will also be asked

to rate the sites.

She has scheduled meetings with South School-area residents and residents of a potential site on Cross Street to discuss the pros and cons of each of those sites.

Construction of the fields, at a cost of \$380,000, was approved at April Town Meeting. An amendment - giving town officials 90 days to decide where the fields will be placed - was approved by Town Meeting after residents questioned the felling of trees at South School.

During a discussion of the fields at a selectmen's meeting two weeks ago, residents and board members questioned the restriction of the 90 days, since that runs out in mid July. Mr. Stapczynski said Monday night the only requirement was that a public hearing had to be started within that time frame. That hearing could then be continued to a time beyond 90 days.

But Ms. Campbell told selectmen that finding the best place for the fields is the only priority.

"If the article has to be scrapped and it has to go back to town meeting, then that's what has to happen," Ms. Campbell said.

Update on Senior Center

Town Manager Buzz Stapczynski told selectmen Monday night that he has met with Dorothy Bresnahan, Council on Aging chairwoman, "and we are working on some options" for either expanding or building a new senior center. But he was inconclusive on which direction the seniors are headed.

Selectman Bill Downs said he has heard varying accounts of what seniors plan to do, and pressed Mr. Stapczynski to answer exactly what their plans are. He asked whether the seniors were going ahead with plans to expand in their current location, as April Town Meeting gave them permission to do, or whether they were merely using that approval as a bargaining chip to make

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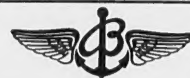
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Yung Koh and Robert McCumber

Andover residents Yung Koh and Robert McCumber will be honored this month at Metropolitan Life's Leaders Conference. The four-day business meeting will recognize the outstanding sales achievers of 1994 from the company's Northeastern Territory.

Both are account executives, Ms. Koh with MetLife's agency in Wakefield, and Mr. McCumber in Burlington. They qualified by excelling in sales production and client service ratings among MetLife representatives in New York and New England.

Ms. Koh will be accompanied by her daughter, Katherine, while Mr. McCumber will be joined by his wife, Lesley, and their daughters, Kathleen and Lynne.

Richard J. Campagna

The Prudential Insurance Company of America, Old River Road, recently announced the appointment of Richard J. Campagna to the position of executive director in New England for its managed health care plans, PruCare (its health maintenance organization) and PruCare Plus2 (its point-of-service plan).

Mr. Campagna will work in the Andover office, establishing the plans' overall marketing strategy and direction in the New England marketplace.

Prior to joining Prudential, Mr. Campagna was vice president of Pilgrim Health Care and involved in developing its long-range vision, strategies affecting marketing, expansion, acquisition, medical care delivery systems and information systems. He was responsible for client services which included member services, claim operations, and Pilgrim's Total Quality Management effort.

Smith & Nephew Dyonics

Smith & Nephew Dyonics, with offices in Andover, manufacturer of arthroscopic and surgical instrumentation, passed an audit for compliance with the European Medical Device Directive (MDD) and ISO 9002 series. Certification to the MDD entitles a company to use the CE mark.

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Daniel J. Lafond

Navy Lt. Cmdr. Daniel J. Lafond, son of Robert J. and Corinne V. Lafond of 8 Shepley St., recently returned to Norfolk, Va., after completing a six-month overseas deployment aboard the aircraft carrier USS Dwight D. Eisenhower,

The ship served as the flagship of an 11-ship battle group that included fighters and attack aircraft and ships and submarines armed with Tomahawk cruise missiles.

The first part of the deployment enforced the no-fly zone over Southern Iraq and deterred Iraqi aggression on the Arabian peninsula.

The 1,100-foot-long ship then traveled through the Red Sea and Suez Canal into the Mediterranean and Adriatic seas to be stationed off Bosnia.

Lt. Cmdr. Lafond also visited France, Greece, Israel, Italy, Spain, Turkey and the United Arab Emirates.

The 1975 graduate of Andover High

School joined the Navy in June 1980. He received a BS degree in 1979 from Westfield State College in Westfield.

Robert J. Bright

Air Force Reserve Staff Sgt. Robert J. Bright graduated from the avionics guidance and control systems specialist course at Keesler Air Force Base in Biloxi, Miss.

Training included basic electronics, use of computer systems dealing with navigation and weapons and operation, maintenance and repair of automatic flight controls systems, subsystems and components.

The sergeant is the son of James L. and Susan Bright of 115 Elm St.

He is a 1984 graduate of Andover High School and a 1992 graduate of University of Massachusetts-Amherst.

Patricia Ann Mistkowski and Beverly Stoebel

The A-D-S Group, 300 Brickstone Square, announces the addition of Patricia Ann Mistkowski as the nurse liaison for the northwest region. The A-D-S Group is an elder care organization that specializes in subacute and long-term care as well as senior living needs.

Ms. Mistkowski will be responsible for screening prospective patients for A-D-S Subacute care facilities and interacting with managed care referral sources.

Ms. Mistkowski was the facility manager and a nursing consultant for Merrimack Valley Rehabilitation Center. She has also credited her nursing experience to Home Health Care-VNA, Medplex of Beverly, J.B. Thomas Hospital, Cedar Glen Nursing Home and St. John's Hospital. Ms. Mistkowski is a graduate of Lowell Vocational School

of Nursing.

The A-D-S Group has also appointed Beverly Stoebel as regional director of marketing for A-D-S Long-Term Care.

Ms. Stoebel will coordinate the marketing efforts for the A-D-S facilities north and west of Boston.

Ms. Stoebel is a licensed social worker and member of NASW. Most recently she was the director of admissions for Prescott House Nursing Home and Sutton Hill Nursing and Retirement Home. Previously Ms. Stoebel was the director of social services for Kenzo Manor and Kenzo Hillcrest in Haverhill, community coordinator for the Executive Office of Elder Affairs in Boston, program director for Nevins Adult Day Health Center, North Andover and case manager for Elder Services of the Merrimack Valley. She has also served on the boards of VNA HomeCare and RSVP and was nominated to the board of the Merrimack Valley Chamber of Commerce. Ms. Stoebel has received two awards for her A-D-S-sponsored cable television program, Sophisticated Living.

She received her associate degree in gerontology from Northern Essex Community College and bachelor of social work degree from Salem State College.

Richard Goldman

Dr. Richard Goldman, a cardiologist with Pentucket Medical Associates Inc., lectured on "Cholesterol: Fact or Fiction" on April 26 at Memorial Hall Library. The lecture was the last in the series of four free lectures offered by Pentucket Medical Associates cardiology division.

Dr. Goldman lives in Andover. He is a graduate of Tufts University School of Medicine. He practices clinical cardiology in Lawrence and the Andovers and is on the medical staff at Lawrence General, Holy Family and Hale hospitals.

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Grand opening is May 20: Crispin's Bears

By Joan Brown

The bear population of Andover increased dramatically this week by nearly 2,700 bears - teddy bears, that is.

Located at 23 Barnard St., the newly-opened Crispin's Bears offers a full range of teddy bears, from the finest collectibles to the treasured teddy bears that toddlers love.

"There's something for the kids to come in and buy, and there's something for collectors," said co-owner Marcia Miller. "We have teddy bears from one-quarter of an inch to four-feet high, \$1.25 to \$1,000."


Ms. Miller and her husband, Crispin, spent nearly a year collecting bears from all

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In the photo at left, Marcia Miller, Crispin Miller and Vinette Bowe display some of the 2,700 bears at the Crispin's Bears on Barnard Street. The shop will hold its grand opening Saturday.

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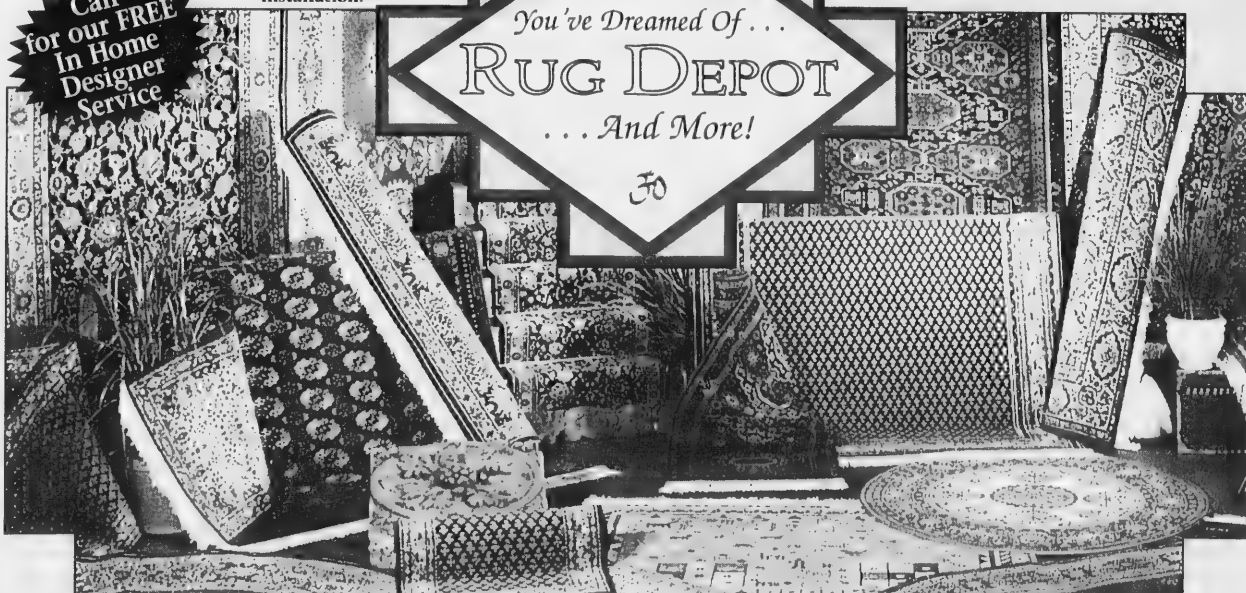
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"We're thrilled to have the Muffy line," said Ms. Miller. The shop has a complete selection of clothing and furnishings for Muffy, a dress-up bear popular with both collectors and chil-

dren. Accessories include a Muffy chess set - which uses carrots and acorns as pawns - a boudoir, cruise ship and her best friend, Hoppy the rabbit. "He's the only non-bear in the shop," said Ms. Miller.

Special orders are not a problem for the Millers. "A customer came in and said, 'I want a teddy bear in a kayak,'" said Mr. Miller. "I found a fellow in Maine who (builds) racing canoes. He did a canoe and a kayak for me." Mr. Miller used a bright rain slicker on a custom-crafted bear to complete the package. Another customer wanted a gift bear for an ailing grandmother in Minnesota. The Millers customized a gift basket and shipped it within the day.

"One of the things we're doing is taking your grandmother's stole and

making a teddy bear out of it," said Ms. Miller. The bears become special keepsake for grandchildren, and the old fur is recycled into something meaningful.

Crispin's Bears will customize bears for sports enthusiasts, including team logos and numbers, and for fund-raising events. A large assortment of "bearaphernalia" is also on hand, including collector and children's books, stationery, jewelry, journals, backpacks, puppets and more.

"One of our goals is to give something to the community," said Mr. Miller. The Millers actively support the Good Bears of the World organization, supplying bears to comfort hospitalized or traumatized children and adults.

Though successful as professionals in other fields, after son Doug's gradua-

tion from Andover High School last year, the Millers decided they were ready for a change. "We wanted to combine the elegance of a gallery with the fun of something else," said Mr. Miller.

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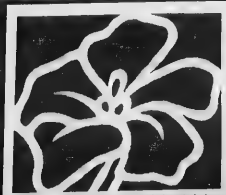
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Hearing tests will be conducted Monday, May 22, from 10 a.m. to noon, by MCL Hearing. Sign up at the center.

Center closed

The Senior Center will be closed Monday, May 29, in observance of Memorial Day.

SENIOR MENUS

The following meals will be served to senior citizens at the Senior Center on Whittier Court next week:

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es.

Tuesday: Baked stuffed pork chop, brown sauce, rice pilaf, carrots, ice cream.

Wednesday: Baked ham with raisin sauce, au gratin potatoes, wax beans, fresh fruit.

Thursday: Stuffed cabbage

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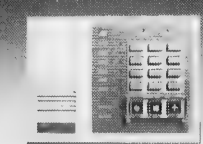
Friday: Corn chowder, seafood salad roll, peas, Jell-O with fruit.

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Town manager working with seniors on center

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a deal for a piece of land in a different location.

"I don't think they've come down on one way or another," Mr. Stapczynski said.

Mr. Downs also asked whether the undeveloped land between Memorial Auditorium and the senior center was still in control of the town.

"That land is still available," Mr. Stapczynski said, but added that it is an aesthetic-design issue as to whether that land should be developed.

Whether for this expansion or a future school expansion, that land is eventually going to be developed, Mr. Downs said, indicating that that should not be an issue.

Mr. Downs asked Mr. Stapczynski if he is the one charged with negotiating with the seniors. The town manager said he is, and that he is working closely with them.

"As far as I'm concerned, Town Meeting passed that thing and that's where they should be going," Mr. Downs said of the expansion plan.

The Town Meeting vote gave seniors the right to negotiate with the owners of the town offices building, which the town sold and now leases, for expanding into space on the second or third floor of the building, and/or putting an addition on the building.

The upper floors of the building are currently occupied by the school administration and there has been talk

of the school providing another piece of land, possibly across the play fields, on Chestnut Court, for seniors to build on, rather than having the schools give up their current offices.

But Ms. Bresnahan said two weeks ago that seniors are moving ahead with plans to expand the current facility. "We are not looking at anything but the building we are in at this time," she said.

One lane at Phillips Academy

Phillips Academy officials Monday night showed selectmen plans for restricting Main Street to one lane of traffic in each direction where the road passes in front of the school.

Main Street, which is also Route 28, is currently one lane in each direction

from Route 125 in south Andover to Shawsheen Square in North Andover, except for in front of the school. There it widens to two lanes for about one third of a mile before going back to one lane.

The project was approved by the state several months ago and its estimated \$500,000 cost will be fully funded by state and federal highway funds.

"This is going to be a state-funded project. The state will build this," Rod Emery, president of Highway & Traffic Signal Design Inc., engineers for the project, told selectmen.

Up-front engineering costs have been paid by Phillips Academy.

Flashing signals designating the area as a school campus zone were

by the state and federal highway funds.



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SCHOOLTALK

Irene M. Shui, a senior at Andover High School, has been awarded the Textron Merit Scholarship, one of nearly 1,100 corporate-sponsored Merit Scholarship awards being offered this year to distinguished high school seniors. Winners were announced last month by the National Merit Scholarship Corp. (NMSC). These Scholars are among more than 6,700 winners in the 1995 competition who will receive Merit Scholarship awards worth some \$26 million.

Ms. Shui has been involved in varsity gymnastics for four years, cross-country for three years, and track. She was captain of the All-Scholastic senior national team and is a member of the National Honor Society and Amnesty International. She was a recycling organizer and has been involved in community service. She received the Wellesley Book Award.

Textron Inc. provides scholarships annually to children of employees of its division and consolidated subsidiaries. Almost all corporate-sponsored Merit Scholarship awards are renewable for up to four years of college undergraduate study; these scholarships provide stipends of at least \$500 per year and can amount to as much as \$10,000 annually.

National Merit Scholarship Corp. (NMSC) also announced last month the names of 2,000 distinguished high school seniors who have won National Merit \$2,000 Scholarships.

Merit Scholarship winners from Andover include: Alexandra Huddleston, a senior at Phillips Academy, and Maximillian C. Soong, a senior at Andover High School.

Ms. Huddleston has been on the honor roll for two years, and received school commendation cum laude for two years and second place for the Marshal S. Kates Prize for a history paper. Her activities include guitar (five years), prefect, Chapel Council, Diversity Alliance, writing workshop tutor, community service, co-head of French Club, International Club, and writing a column for the school newspaper.

Mr. Soong is involved in track, and was a state qualifier and New England qualifier; he received seven varsity letters. His other activities include drums, marching, jazz, orchestra, theater, a semi-pro rock band, taking second place in the Mr. Andover High pageant, co-founder of the Andover Youth Council, captain of Math Team, and hospital volunteer. He received the Harvard Book

Award. He is treasurer of the National Honor Society at AHS.

Each of the approximately 14,000 students who reached the finalist level in the 1995 Merit Program competed for one of these scholarships. The "National" scholarships are awarded in every state, in numbers based on the state's percentage of the U.S. graduating senior class.

Recipients of National Merit \$2,000 Scholarships were chosen by a committee of college admissions officers and high school counselors who evaluated information collected from all finalists and their high schools.

Sen. John D. O'Brien, D-Andover, and Rep. Gary Coon, R-Andover, announced that the Massachusetts Educational Finance Authority (MEFA) recently set the interest rate for the MassPlan fixed-rate loan at 7.95 percent for the 1995-'96 academic year. This rate is among the lowest fixed-interest rates for educational loans in the country.

The Andover legislators said, "This is good news for middle-income families trying to finance the cost of a college education. This loan program provides them with the opportunity to access our outstanding Massachusetts colleges and universities."

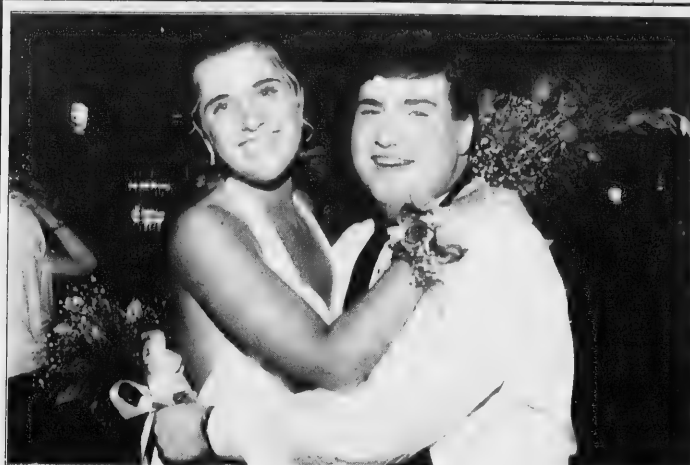
The MassPlan program is designed for middle-income families who do not receive sufficient financial aid from traditional sources and need help financing college costs. The program is offered to parents and students nationwide through 58 participating Massachusetts colleges and universities.

For more information, call MEFA at 1-800-499-MEFA.

The Department of Community Services summer program registration will be held Wednesday, May 31, from 7-8 p.m. at the Doherty Middle School auditorium. The DCS blue booklet lists recreational and enrichment courses for youngsters, teens and adults. Booklets will be available after Monday, May 22, at town offices, the Senior Center and Memorial Hall Library.

Booklets will be delivered in the mail this weekend. DCS office hours are Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Registration will continue at DCS until programs fill or begin. Special forms are needed for the playground and camp programs. Registration for classes (name, address, telephone, class and fee) may be dropped in the white mailbox in front of the Bartlet Street building, mailed to the

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Photos by Lisa Adelsberger

Andover High School held its junior/senior prom last Saturday, May 13, at the Andover Marriott. The students elected Todd Buonopane and Jen Aylward as this year's prom king and queen.



A total of 495 students and 25 faculty chaperones attended the prom. The members of the Queen's Court were, from left, Andrea DiBenedetto, Anna Kelleher, Julia Henderson and Rory Cullinan.



Host Todd Buonopane (at far right) and hostess Amy Hayner collaborated with their class adviser, Karen Burke, and the prom committee to make this year's prom a success. Members of the King's Court were, from left, Rudy Morando, Ernie Dascoli, Charlie Russo and Joe Hogarty. [More prom photos will be published with this year's graduation special section, in the June 8 Townsman — Ed.]

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DCS office, or by fax and telephone with a valid MasterCard or Visa.

New youth classes include origami for grades 2 and up; German language for ages 8-12; Pee Wee Tennis Club for ages 4-6; field hockey for grades 5-8; as well as Build a Kite, mask-making, T-shirt mania, puppets, mixed media and fun jewelry workshops.

New adult offerings include Body Works, country & western dancing, water aerobics, stress management, bonsai, guitar and Microsoft Works.

Sgt. Barbara Connolly of the Andover Police Department was a presenter at Violence Prevention week at Greater Lawrence Technical School recently.

The Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (MSPCA) Shelter on Route 28 in Methuen is holding its 1995 Cat's Meow Raffle.

Raffle prizes have been donated by local businesses, including Daher's Shoes of Andover and Methuen, Flowers by Steve of Andover and Bradford, and the Greater Lawrence Technical School.

Tickets are \$1 each; \$5 for a book of six. Tickets are available at Daher's Shoes in Andover, Just Browsing Gift Shop in South Lawrence, Sam's Pet Food & Supplies in Salem, N.H., Martin's Flower Mart in Methuen and the MSPCA Shelter.

The drawing will be held live Wednesday, June 21, at Continental Cablevision CTV-3 at 8 p.m., immediately following the shelter's

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Photos by Don Staruk

Andover's two state-champion Odyssey of the Mind teams, heading to the World Finals in Knoxville, Tenn., later this month, were recognized by the Board of Selectmen at the Monday night meeting. Here Town Manager Buzz Stapczynski checks out the championship medal worn by South School third-grader Lea Ventura.



The two OM teams that won first place in the state finals, South School's Scientific Safari (in Division I) and Doherty Middle School's The Mail Must Go Through (in Division II), shake hands with selectmen Larry Larsen, Bill Downs and Jerry Silverman. Donations are still needed to defray the costs of competing with teams from 49 other states and 20 countries. Send donations for the OM teams in care of Andover Bank.

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award-winning cable television show, Paws for Adoption.

The summer is the busiest time of the year for the shelter, which can take in up to 60 cats and kittens during these months.

The MSPCA Shelter took in more than 9,000 animals last year. The private, nonprofit organization receives no state or federal funding and is dependent upon the generosity of its supporters, it said.

For more information, call

the shelter between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m., Tuesday through Saturday.

Bradlees Inc. has announced that Jason Pelletier of Andover is the grand prize winner of the 1995 Bradlees Springtime Coloring Sweepstakes sponsored by Bradlees, M&M Mars and Crayola. Jason received \$1,000 worth of Bradlees gift certificates.

The sweepstakes asked children to color in the picture

contained on the entry form and return it to the store. It ran from March 28 to April 8 at all 136 Bradlees stores throughout the Northeast. More than 5,000 entries were received, and Jason's name was drawn from 136 semifinalists.



Jason Pelletier

When he recently accepted

his prize at the North Andover Bradlees where he entered the contest, Jason said he intended to share his winnings with his mother and father, as well as his two brothers and two sisters.

Phillips Academy and Andover High School joined Project Bread's 20-mile Walk for Hunger through Greater Boston Sunday, May 7. The 118 PA faculty and students and 30 AHS students raised \$3,500 in pledges to benefit hunger relief efforts throughout Massachusetts. The PA group was led by facul-

ty members Philip Zaeder, Jen Corn, Jennie Niles and Christine Bader; AHS students were led by faculty members Jay Darrin and Dave Gangi. The walk was the first collaboration between the two schools' community-service programs, organizers said.

The National Latin Exam Committee has informed Andover High School that 10 of its 16 Latin 2/Level 1 and all three Latin 3/Level 1 students taking the examination sponsored by the American Classical League were award-win-

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West Middle School names students to third term honor roll

Here is the honor roll for the third term for West Middle School.

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High honors: Gabriel S. Adams, Kimberly Adlman, Brendan Ahern, Susan M. Anderson, James C. Ayoub, Steven Baletsa, Jessica Bindman, Amanda Mary Camello, Jennifer E. Cline, Erin Cuffe Daly, Benjamin J. Davis, Nicole Davis, Matthew Patrick Delaney, Elizabeth Driscoll, Evan Dunn, Jessica S. Fink, Stephanie Fish, Michael G. Fitzpatrick, Adam S. Gardner, Millie R. Ger-

stein, Peter E. Groff, Rachel Anne Hartman, Amy Herlihy, Daniel William Hughes, Sora Kim, Elizabeth Klayman, Brett B. Konjoian, Alexa Krieger, Michelle D. Leahy, David B. Mazza, Tommy John McLaughlin, Jonathan Ofria, Jessica Olan, Maria Orlova, Juliana A. Paolino, Matthew Rotman, Rebecca Elizabeth Scully, Michael C. Shanahan, Patrick Burke Sullivan, Andrew M. Timko, Erin Elizabeth Westaway, David G. Wholey, Robin L. Young, Erin E. Zue-

Honors: Jennifer Kirsten

Ambro, Susannah Marie Araujo, Stephanie Ataide, Thomas James Aufiero, Mark D. Baggeroer, Nicholas D. Berger, Amy Borden, Christopher Patrick Cataldo, Christopher Caverly, Melissa Collier, Courtney Conlon, Gregory De Leo, Kristen Rachael De Luca, Ryan C. DeCristofaro, Corey Dennis, Ellen Margaret Donahue, Reed Donoghue, Robert W. Filbin, Anna E. Floreen, Gretchen Fuhr, Shawn Gaines, James D. Hale, Melinda Hung, John A. Iorio, Sunita Iqbal, Crystal J. Kalaw, Lauren Jayne Kapelson, Nathan

P. MacKenzie, Sean Mackay, Jonathan Richard Maloney, Erik Andrew Martin, Maura L. McConville, Melissa McDade, George Marcus Millotis, Alia Mohammed, Kathryn N. Mullen, Matthew C. Munson, Paul Nar-done, Kerry O'Connor, Kelsey L. Peterson, Matthew Rosensweig, Hillary Schofield, Caitlin Elizabeth Sermos, Christine Smaglia, Abigail Ellen Sutter, Lisa L. Tisbert, Sean Michael Toland, Ashley Ann Troutman, Andrew H. Tur-ow, Tamsin E. Tyler, Sarah E. Venuti, Kellie Wallace, Benjamin

Waxler, Isabel Witt, Rebecca Wolk, Melissa Yee.

Grade 7

High honors: Andrew F. Bel-listri, Jenna B. Bernstein, Caroline Chen, Michelle Lynn Danis, Philip M. Delude, Kelley Anne Donoghue, Brian David Faulk, Michael Giles, Alan Geoffrey Ginsberg, Charles N. Gregory, Gregory Allen Hackett, Hemant Joshi, Jamie D. Kaplan, Jordan S. Klein, Emma A. Kremer, Sophie S. Lam, Nishant P. Mehta, Susan L.

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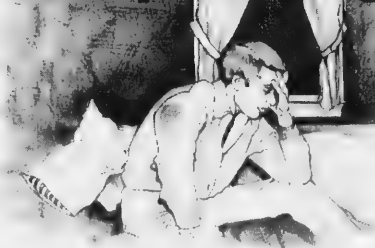
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West Middle School third term honor roll

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Moffitt, Samuel Benjamin Morrison, Kirsten Rapp, Lindsay Anne Ravens, Kathleen Rogers, Luis A. Santiago, Alyssa Tami Saunders, Laura Schrader, Dorothy Stowe, Nathan Vantzeld, Michael R. Wallace, Amy Suzanne Weiner, Katherine Mary Witman, Angeline Yang, Caroline Ada Yao.

Honors: Erik Adams, Alexander John Berger, Matthew Boucher, Edmond P. Boulanger, Laura Brown, Cara Ann Chiaraluce, Daniel C. Coleman, Phillip A. Collins, Stephen David Comeau, Alexis F. Contos, John Corrigan, James Elias Farrah, Catherine D. Filbin, Cody James Frost, Ilyssa Ganek, Amy C. Garvin, Tracey Gledart, Andrea Gordon, Rachel Sarah Greer, Shambhavi Gurusprasad, Amanda Emily

Hoerner, Jenny May Hsu, Kevin Jordan, Matthew D. Konjoian, Jonathan Lakow, Michele Leary, Scott Jamison Mackin, Christopher B. McKallagat, Alexis Miminos, Daniel T. O'Connell, Sarah Rabbani, Katherine Betsy Roberts, Rebecca Jane Rouse, James Joseph Russo, Rachel Mara Sebell, Richard William Sheldon, Adam Silevitch, Ryan Slavin, Leah Spires, Kristin Rose Sweeney, Saroj Maria Tharissay, Sarah Ann Trumbore, Adam Turbett, Andrea L.

Tuttman, Stephanie A. Varley, Marigold Silver Webb, Adrienne Beth Weisner.

Grade 8

High honors: Jeremy Adams, Rebecca Ambro, Hee Jin Bang, Deborah Bauer, April M. Betty, Joshua M. Bloom, Andrea Campbell, Terah Chan, Lisa Chang, Caroline B. Crocker, Desiree Croteau, Patrick A. Doerr, Christina Ghiloni, Meghan T. Gillespie, Jesse Greenspan, Julie Hayner, Taj Mary Kattapuram, Kerri Krivelow,

Sara Leclerc, David A. Nichols, Tejal Patel, Suzanne Polizzi, Robert D. Rawlinson, Mark Rocca, Gregory Rosenheck, Andrew S. Rubin, Senjit Sarkar, Jessica Schoen, Gloria Shen, Jennifer Jinshuan Shu, Daniel Shue, Ruchi Sisodia, Karen M. Tessier, Brian Wolk, Justin Yee, Kevin A. Zuen.

Honors: Desiree Adams, Michael Alberico, Robyn Allen, Melissa Lyn Cistoldi, Janice L. Coppolino, Long Dang, Elizabeth Davis, Lauren Davis, Jennifer Downes, Matthew

Drizen, Shaun David Ellis, Courtney M. Famiglietti, Liesl Finn, Eric B. Frishman, Kate M. Gerry, Daniel John Gibson, Nicole K. Haerer, Kirsten Houghton, Judy Y. Huang, Junya Ikuno, Karli Jaffe, Matthew James, Harold Lannon, Michael W. Macomber, Ana Beatriz Villela Malvar, Stephanie Manners, Nicole Menschel, Craig W. Nelson, Elizabeth A. O'Connell, Melissa Osborne, Stephen Papadopoulos, Thomas P. Rossini, Matthew Schrader, Joshua Shulman, Meghan Twhig, Alexis Kate Upton, Laurie L. Willey, Emily Yurko.

Spring dance concert at PA this weekend

The annual spring dance concert will be held at Phillips Academy tomorrow, Friday, May 19, at 7 p.m. and Saturday, May 20, at 6:30 p.m. in Tang Theater.

The program features dances choreographed by faculty and students to music by the Beatles, Tom Waits, Ella Fitzgerald, Mendelssohn and Herbie Hancock. Tickets are \$4 and available at the door or reserved by calling 749-4433.

Andover students dancing include Melissa Ciaccia, daughter of Peter and Linda Ciaccia; Comfort Halsey, daughter of Katherine Halsey; and Kevin Cline, son of Andy and Jennie Cline.

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Doherty Middle School announces third term honor roll

Doherty Middle School has announced its honor roll for the third term.

Grade 6

High honors: Charles S. Aloviseti, Julie Andros, Jennifer M. Annese, Eric G. Bakkenen, Amanda Barash, Daniel Berman, Brock R. Bouchard, Jennifer Bronson, Katharine R. Buckley, Alex R. Caplan, Hejdi F. Carroll, Nina A. Conn, Sophie M. Cowan, Melissa J. Currier, Brian D. Curtis, Rebecca S. Dann, Henry Davidson, Katherine Dugan, Sarah V. Ferranti, Diana F. Finegold, Shawna Foley, Matthew Fournier, Vikas Goela, Rose A. Grabowski, Lindsay D. Hanna, Rachel J. Harkins, Michael Hass, Caitlin F. Henningsen, Stephen Y. Hibino, Catherine M. Hough, Howjin Huang, Emily Huston, Aaron An-ho Hwang, Adrea S. Lee, Olivia Leiterman, Michelle H. Lin, Jillian E. Mann, Lynne McCumber, Maria Mouzakis, Mistina Muscatel, Kerrien K. O'Brien, C. Mark Outwin, Kayla A. Peek, Alison J. Pennelli, Stephanie L. Pierce, Rachel S. Robinson, Richard A. Roda, Anthony Rooney, Eryn J. Samuels, Kathryn E. Sand, Nicholas Schade, Nathan T. Stoetzel, Raja Surapanani, On Kin Tsang, Jeffrey Vallera, Jeffrey Volinski, Spencer B. Washburn, Rachel E. Weiner, Allison A. Wilner, Caitlin S. Woo.

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Shaw, Dustin Shea, Claudia Jin Soo Hoo, Rebecca Sprattler, Emerson J. Sykes, Kira N. Ventura, Jennifer Walsh, Sophia A. Walter, Zhi-en "Larry" Xu.

Grade 7

High honors: K. Aynsle Accomando, Rachael Lee Alpert, Britta M. Anson, Kathleen Bader,

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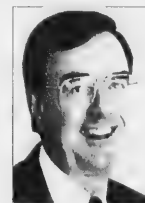


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Grade 8

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Tuesday: Chicken nuggets, whipped potato, gravy, sliced carrots, wheat bread and butter, cookie, milk or juice.

Wednesday: Spaghetti with meat

sauce, green beans, wheat bread and butter, pudding with whipped topping, milk or juice.

Thursday: Taco boat with ground beef, lettuce, tomato and cheese, corn, fudge brownie, milk or juice.

Friday: Tuna sal-

ad in Syrian bread, potato puffs, ketchup, peas, fresh apple, milk or juice.

A pizza or peanut butter and jelly lunch is available daily.

Middle schools

Monday: Hot dog on roll, mustard, relish, ketchup, wax

beans, fruit cup, milk.

Tuesday: Chicken cutlet on roll, mayonnaise, potato puffs, green beans, cookie, milk.

Wednesday: Meatball sub with tomato sauce, corn, potato sticks, fruited Jell-O with whipped

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Thursday: Nachos with cheese sauce, rice, sliced carrots, cake with

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Doherty to hold Scholars Night next Thursday

Doherty Middle School will hold its annual grades 6 and 7 Scholars Night next Thursday, May 25, at 7:30 in the school auditorium.

Students who have maintained honor-roll status for the first three terms will be recognized for their achievement.

SCHOOLTALK

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ners. These students and 90,000 others competed in the 18th National Latin Exam in the second week of March. The exam has 40 questions covering grammar and syntax, culture, Latin in use, and reading comprehension.

Recipients of silver medals and maxima cum laude certificates are **Elizabeth Krieger**, **Jon Sullivan** and **Melissa Youell** in Latin 3, and **Roger Yeh**, **Lisabeth Willey** and **Elizabeth Kelley** in Latin 2.

Ms. Krieger, a gold-medal winner last year as a Latin 2 student, answered 37 out of 40 questions correctly. Mr. Sullivan and Ms. Youell answered 35 correctly.

Mr. Yeh answered 36 out of 40 correctly. Ms. Willey, 35, and Ms. Kelley, 34. **Mark Jacobson** was the recipient of a magna cum laude certificate, having answered 33 questions correctly.

The recipients of a cum laude certificate



Andover High award winners on the 1995 National Latin examination include (from left): Elizabeth Krieger, Roger Yeh, Jon Sullivan, Melissa Youell, Kristen Foley, Brenna O'Connor, Elizabeth Kelley, Jessica Puccia, Andrea Buonaugurio, Lisabeth Willey, Emily Wilner, Julie Litzenberger and Mark Jacobson.

are **Andrea Buonaugurio** and **Emily Wilner**, who answered 30 questions correctly, and **Kristen Foley**, **Julie Litzenberger**,

Brenna O'Connor and **Jessica Puccia**, each with 29 correct answers.

James J. McCann is their Latin teacher.

History Camp set

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The Andona Society will hold its annual Clown Town this Saturday, May 20, from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in The Park at the corner of Chestnut and Bartlett streets.

Organizers have designed the event so that parents and children have a great time at Clown Town year after year.

This year it will again feature carnival rides, pony rides (behind Doherty Middle School), face-painting, games, and picture-taking behind crowd-pleasing backdrops. The ever-popular penny-candy stand will be open and new crafts and T-shirts will

be sold.

New foods and snack items include pizza and gourmet coffee.

Silverado Athletic Club will sponsor "Fit Kids" at 11:30 a.m. near the Whittier Street side of The Park. Their demonstration will feature stretching and step-aerobic activities for children of all ages.

Brian Corcoran, a local children's entertainer, will offer a special performance - an early lunchtime sing-along - near the eating table area by the bandstand at 11:45 a.m.

The big show in Doherty Middle School auditorium will feature

Josie Walker's Confetti Kids in a musical dance-and-variety show at 1 and 3 p.m. Tickets are \$1 and may be purchased at the door or from any Andona member. Handicapped access to Memorial Auditorium is by the Bartlett Street entrance, near town offices.

Prizes in this year's raffle include a bicycle from Cycle Stop, airplane ride from Tew-Mac Aviation, two Patriots tickets, a \$50 gift certificate from Learning Express and an autographed hockey stick from the NCAA champion BU Terriers.

Raffle tickets can be purchased near the bandstand for \$1 each, or six for \$5. The drawing will be held

at 3:30 p.m. at the bandstand.

Veggie pockets, sausage and pepper subs, hamburgers, hot dogs and pizza will be available in The Park. Other foods include ice cream, slush, popcorn and cotton candy. A bakery table will be stocked with homemade pies, cakes, fudge, breads and cookies.

The white-elephant table will feature garage-sale items, including toys, books and cookware.

The Andona Society is a nonprofit women's fund-raising organization founded in 1952. Information on joining Andona will be available at the Clown Town membership table near the bandstand or by calling Martha at

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All of the proceeds are used to benefit Andover youth activities, including Andover schools athletic, civic and cultural programs, Andover/North Andover YMCA youth programs, Andover Youth Baseball, Greater Lawrence Community Boating, and Department of Community Services programs.

The Clown Town chairwomen this year are Anne Halfpenny, Karen Karpinski, Maura Norton and Donna Violand. Organizers emphasize that due to safety considerations, cars cannot be parked on the park-side of Chestnut Street. Park in the municipal parking lots.

Andona's 1995 fashion show



Photos by Lisa Adelsberger

The Andona Society presented its spring gala fashion show last month at the Andover Marriott. The theme was "Sail the S.S. Andona's Fashion Cruise." Modeling above left is Niki Shoemaker; above right is student Ashley King, 8.



Phil and Lisa Nardone are the models here. Andona's spring fashions came from The Abbey, Athlete's Corner, Cristina's Bridals, Courtney's Collection, Indian Ridge Pro Shop, Kaps, Royal Jeweler Furs, Ginny's, Take Two Tenniswear, Annie Dakota, Bagette, Daher's, Suits Me Fine and Uptown Kids.

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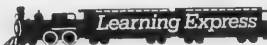
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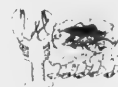
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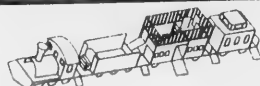


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More than 70 members of Creative Living Inc. attended the group's annual meeting recently at the Lanam Club. Creative Living Inc. is a non-profit group of community members seeking to build innovative residences for adult retarded citizens in the Merrimack Valley who currently live at home with family members.

Luan Giannone, outgoing president, conducted the business meeting. The agenda includ-

ed the election of new officers: Rosalie Ruggiero, president; Bette Kidwell, vice president; Lucille Giannone, treasurer; and JoAnn Giuffrida, secretary/clerk.

New board of directors members Daryl Arsenault, Marie Bliven, Diane Cadagan, Debbie Duxbury, Larry Giordano and Arlette Tanin were welcomed. The election of directors of one, two and three years completed

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The annual meeting of Creative Living Inc. included the election of new officers as well as two guest speakers. From left are: Lucille Giannone, treasurer; Bette Kidwell, vice president; guest speaker Bill Flynn; Rosalie Ruggiero, president; deputy commissioner of DMR Gerald Morrissey; and JoAnn Giuffrida, secretary/clerk.

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WEDDINGS & ENGAGEMENTS



Patricia McGann Schrand

McGann-Schrand

Patricia Elizabeth McGann of Chicago, Ill., was married to George William Schrand of Grand Rapids, Mich., on Oct. 22, 1994, in a nuptial Mass at St. Joseph's Church. The Rev. Arthur D. Johnson, OSA, the former pastor of St. Augustine's, officiated.

Dr. Judith K. McGann of Rochester, N.Y., was her sister's maid of honor. Jennifer Burton of Shelburne, Vt., formerly of Andover, Alaina M. Barletta of Canton and Tricia M. Pupil of Minneapolis, Minn., were bridesmaids.

John P. Pridnia of Muskegon, Mich., was best man. Brian E. McGann of North Andover, the bride's brother, Robert A. Dubault of Bloomington, Ind., and Joseph D. Pupil of Minneapolis, Minn., were ushers.

Following a reception at the Omni Parker House Hotel in Boston, the couple left for Italy.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. McGann of 18 Wolcott Ave. The financial analyst received a BS degree from Providence College and a MBA degree from University of Notre Dame.

Her husband is the son of Susan E. Schrand of Grand Rapids, Mich., and the late George T. Schrand. He received a BS degree from Central Michigan University and is a controller.

The couple live in Grand Rapids, Mich.

Love is Sunday sermon topic

The season of bursting buds will be celebrated with a visit by Early Music Consort of the First Parish in Concord this Sunday, May 21, at the 10:30 a.m. worship service of the Unitarian Universalist Congregation, 6 Locke St. Sweet Madrigals of Love will be framed by recorder music.

Eleanor Richardson, director of music, will deliver a sermon on the tradition of courtly love and theories of its relationship to the Protestant Reformation.

Community groups submitting news to the *Townsmen* may send for the free brochure 'How to write a press release,' available from the paper. Send a self-addressed stamped envelope to the *Townsmen*.



Sarah Anne Little

Little-Ramey

Deborah A. Kelso of 14 Hall Ave., and Mr. and Mrs. Kevin P. Little of Gibsonia, Pa., announce the engagement of their daughter, Sarah Anne, of Andover to Keith Kendrick Ramey of Valdosta, Ga.

Ms. Little graduated from Andover High School in 1990 and University of Massachusetts, North Dartmouth, in 1994. She is in the Enterprise Rent A Car management training program.

Mr. Ramey is the son of Mr. and Mrs. N. Drew Edwards of Valdosta, Ga., and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ramey of Columbus, Ga. He graduated from Valdosta High School in 1988 and is in the Navy, serving on the USS Nassau.

The couple plan a September wedding.

Yard sale to benefit church organ fund

Faith Lutheran Church is raising funds to purchase a new pipe organ. The current one-manual Pilcher organ is too small to lead the church's growing congregation. The congregation has been working since 1991 to replace the organ with a larger two-manual organ.

The church will hold a giant yard sale Saturday, May 20, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., rain or shine, to raise funds for the new organ. Appliances, furniture, books, sporting equipment, tools and housewares will be for sale.

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ENTERTAINMENT CALENDAR

THURSDAY, MAY 18

Royal Lipizzan Stallions, benefit performance sponsored by the MSPCA Nevins Farm & Equine Center, at the Topsfield Fairgrounds, Route 1, Topsfield, 7:30 p.m., adults \$12 in advance or \$15 at the gate, children \$8 in advance or \$10 at the gate, seniors \$10; 687-0056.

Damn Yankees, featuring Andover students Nathan Akerman, Hasan Erdem, Weston Lowrie and Kenneth Rickhi, at Pike School, Sunset Rock Road, 7:30 p.m.

Parenting During the First Year, lecture by Sheila Morehouse, at Lowell General Hospital, Clark auditorium, Lowell, 7:30 p.m., \$5; to register, call LGH community relations 937-6425.

Six Degrees of Separation, drama presented by the theatre department at Brooks School, Vanoff Black Theatre, Great Pond Road, North Andover, 7:30 p.m., free; 686-6106.

FRIDAY, MAY 19

Concert, featuring the New England Brass Band, at Wilmington Congregational Church, Route 62, Wilmington, 7:30 p.m., \$5 adults, \$3 children; 658-2264.

Cabaret, featuring the Andover Middle schools jazz band, at Doherty Middle School, Memo-

rial Auditorium, Bartlet Street, 7 p.m.

Malifest organ recital, featuring organist Robert Love, at Methuen Memorial Music Hall, 192 Broadway, Methuen, 8 p.m., doors open at 7:30, \$20.

Concert, featuring the Treble Chorus of New England, at Trinitarian Congregational Church, 72 Elm St., North Andover, 7:30 p.m., free and open to the public; 686-4445.

Six Degrees of Separation, see entry under Thursday, May 18 for details.

Damn Yankees, see entry under Thursday, May 18 for details.

Contra dance, featuring live music and a caller, at Unitarian Universalist Church, 6 Locke St., basic instruction at 7:45 p.m., dancing begins at 8, \$5; 474-4273.

Build Wellness workshop, sponsored by Avalon Health Associates, at Ramada Rolling Green, 311 Lowell St., 8:15 a.m.-5 p.m., \$65; 345-6184.

Royal Lipizzan Stallions, see entry under Thursday, May 18 for details.

Six Degrees of Separation, at Phillips Academy, Steinbach Theater, Main Street, 8 p.m., \$5 adults, \$2 with student identification.

Spring dance concert, at Phillips Academy, Tang The-

ater, Main Street, \$5 adults, \$2 with student identification, 7 p.m.

Two By Two, musical by Richard Rogers about Noah and the Ark, performance by the Vagabond Players, at First Calvary Baptist Church, 586 Massachusetts Ave., North Andover, 8 p.m., \$7.50, senior and child discounts available; 685-1502.

Concert, featuring Phillips Academy Concert Band, 7:30 p.m., Cochran Chapel, Phillips Academy, free and open to the public; 749-4263.

Spring gala and auction, sponsored by the Service Club of Andover, at Andover Country Club, Canterbury Street, \$30; Joanne Fossella 470-2050.

Wildlife festival, featuring nature walks, slide shows and lectures, at Parker River National Wildlife Refuge, Newburyport, free; call for times, 465-5753.

Bird-a-thon, sponsored by the Audubon Society, 24-hour fundraiser at Ipswich River Wildlife Sanctuary and 15 other areas, call for details. (617) 259-9500 Ext. 7412.

Quilt show, sponsored by the Merrimack Valley Quilters, at Winnick Castle, Route 110, Haverhill, 2-8 p.m.; \$4 donation requested, \$2 seniors and stu-

dents.

SATURDAY, MAY 20

Clown Town, sponsored by Andona Society, featuring carnival rides, games, pony rides and food, in The

Park, Chestnut and Bartlet streets, 9:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., rain or shine.

Museum Celebration Day, featuring antiques appraisal, Andover Historical Society, 97 Main St., 10

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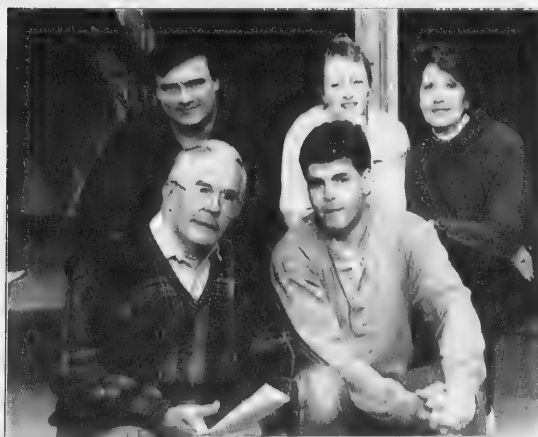


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◀ The cast of Andover Community Theatre's **Special Guest** includes: (front row) Warren and William Kelley of North Andover; (back row) Hartley Pleshaw of Methuen, Carolyn Hartnett of Ipswich, and Barbara Bourgeois of Andover.

ACT is ready to compete in play festival

The Andover Community Theatre will be among 17 amateur theater groups competing in the 1995 Eastern Massachusetts Association of Community Theatres festival Sunday, May 28, at Brandeis University. The competition piece, **Special Guest**, a one-act drama by Donald Elser, will be directed by Pam LeMieux of Andover.

The cast includes Warren and William Kelley, a father-and-son acting team from North Andover, Hartley Pleshaw of Methuen, Carolyn Hartnett of Ipswich and Barbara Bourgeois of Andover.

The play will be the third of four sched-

uled for Sunday's round of competition.

Other groups performing that day will be the Burlington Players, Marblehead Little Theatre and Quannapowitt Players of Reading.

According to Ms. LeMieux, the day's first play will begin at 11 a.m.; Andover's position should place its curtain time between noon and 1 p.m. No one will be admitted while a play is being performed.

Winners of preliminary rounds will be presented in a final round, to be scheduled after results are tallied. Tickets to all productions may be purchased at the door.

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Prepare Your Child for Life

From Monday night's selectmen meeting: Upland Road; ambulance fees; Harding bridge, more

at Stratford. But Upland now also goes straight out to Summer, so that it hits Summer directly across from Pine Street. The result is a triangle of land in the middle with two Upland Roads, one on either side of the triangle.

Mr. Onerheim proposes blocking the section that bends toward Stratford, and 20 to 30 neighbors in the area support the request, according to Mr. Colyer.

Mr. Colyer did a study and determined that selectmen are the governing body that can close or block a public way. The first step in the procedure would be to hold a public hearing. Permanent signs would also have to be installed. At a later date, should the town decide to do so, a petition could go to town meeting asking to abandon the section as a public way.

This would be the first time selectmen have acted on such an item, but Mr. Colyer said there will likely be a similar request coming up soon regarding an old subdivision on High Plain Road.

Mr. Colyer will now work with town counsel on wording for a change to the traffic rules and regulations, and to get details from the state highway department on what signs are needed.

The closing of that section of Upland Road will likely come up again at a public hearing in June or July.

Ambulance fees hiked

Selectmen approved a request by Fire Chief Harold Hayes to increase the cost for basic ambulance service from \$150 to \$206. The cost of oxygen went from \$35 to \$37.

Chief Hayes said the rates are in keeping with "our neighbors" and those set by Medicaid.

\$603,643 for salaries hikes

Selectmen Monday night approved the transfer of \$603,643 from the compensation fund to payroll funds in the general government, police, fire, public works and library

accounts to pay for retroactive raises for Fiscal 1995.

All municipal union contracts for the period of July 1992 through June 1995 were settled last year.

Drinking under Ed Reform

Selectmen postponed a vote on granting a one-day beer and wine license to organizers of the Friday Night Fiver road race scheduled for 6 p.m. on June 9 at Greater Lawrence Technical School on River Road. Selectman Gerald Silverman questioned whether it is legal to grant the permit when the 1993 Education Reform law bans alcohol from being brought onto school property. The town manager will check the legality of the request and the board will address the issue at its next meeting, this Monday, May 22, at 7:30 p.m.

Harding Street bridge to close

The state is close to starting work to rebuild the Harding Street Bridge, which will close the street for several months. The state Highway Department will give the town and residents of Harding Street one-to-two weeks notice before closing the bridge, according to Mr. Stapczynski.

Harding Street runs between North Main and High streets and is the only east/west cross street to Route 28 between Elm and Shawsheen squares.

Taking calls from TV viewers

Selectmen set aside 15 minutes at the end of their Meeting Monday to take calls from viewers at home watching on cable television.

One caller asked that repairs be made to the wrought iron fence at Bowling Green, where the soccer field is located in front of the Balmoral apartments in Shawsheen Square. Those repairs are scheduled, Mr. Stapczynski said.

Selectman James Barenboim, who was home sick and watching the meeting, called to make a few comments, including that he

favors building a teen center and that he wanted the teens to know that.

The final caller asked Mr. Stapczynski to explain what the town's legal fees pay for. Mr. Stapczynski said the town is a \$65 million corporation and that legal fees pay for advice on labor

contracts and a number of other labor issues, for representation on appeals of the town's zoning, planning and conservation decisions, to deal with assessment appeals, and to review contracts the town makes with private contractors, such as those for the current projects at the High, South and Sanborn schools.

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Creative Living plans new year

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the agenda.

Gerald Morrissey, deputy commissioner of the Department of Mental Retardation, and Bill Flynn of Andover were guest speakers. Mr. Morrissey addressed the issues of the DMR budget, day employment opportunities, transportation and residential housing opportunities for mentally retarded citizens living with family members.

Mr. Flynn, who is employed by Phillips Academy, spoke about his involvement with the Creative Living Social Club, about the artwork he creates on his computer for the club's invitations, and about his participation as the monthly disc jockey with his partner, David Rutkowski.

Volunteers of Classic Threads, a retail store at 265 Essex St. in Lawrence, attended the meeting. The store benefits the goals of Creative Living Inc. through the sale of first-quality men's, women's and children's wearing apparel and jewelry. Volunteers specially honored for their dedication were Fred Ruggiero, Edward Kidwell, Leo Suzor and Amy Cataldo.

Special presentations were made to Timothy Felter and Sonia Gildea of Andover, Janet Pallone of North Andover and Brian Hardy of Salem, N.H., for their hours of tireless support and advocacy to families and individuals with special needs.

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OBITUARIES

Lucy M. Sparks Services are tomorrow

Lucy M. Sparks, 79, of 21 Lincoln St., died Monday, May 15, at her home.

Ms. Sparks was born in Exeter, N.H.

She retired from Western Electric in North Andover. Ms. Sparks attended St. Augustine Church.

She was the widow of Francis Sparks, a retired lieutenant of the Andover Fire Department.

Members of her family include several nieces and nephews.

A Mass will be celebrated tomorrow, Friday, at 11 a.m. at St. Augustine Church. Burial will be in West Parish Cemetery.

There will be no calling hours.

Contributions may be made to the charity of one's choice.

Arrangements are by the Burke Funeral Home, 390 N. Main St.

Frances Nabydoski Worked at family farm here

Frances (Zube) Nabydoski, 88, of 76 Blanchard St., died Monday, May 15, at Tewksbury State Hospital.

Ms. Nabydoski was born and educated in Peabody.

She came to Andover in 1950 and worked on the farm of her late husband, Stanley Nabydoski.

Members of her family include her son and daughter-in-law, Richard and Bogumila Nabydoski of Lowell; a daughter, Frances A. "Maxi" Nabydoski of Andover; a sister, Helen Torla of Methuen; and several nieces and nephews.

A Mass will be celebrated tomorrow, Friday, at 10 a.m. at Holy Trinity Church, Lawrence. Burial will be in Elmwood Cemetery, Methuen.

Calling hours are today, Thursday, from 2 to 7 and 7 to 9 p.m. at the Allen-Mundry Funeral Home, 402 Broadway, Lawrence.

Gary Gaudet Attended St. Augustine School

Gary A.J. Gaudet, 38, of Exeter, N.H., died of kidney cancer Monday, May 15, at the Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center in Lebanon, N.H.

Mr. Gaudet was born in Methuen. He lived in Andover until his eighth-grade graduation from St. Augustine Grammar School, when he and his family moved to Fremont, N.H. He graduated from Sanborn Regional High in 1974.

Mr. Gaudet lived in Exeter for 17 years and was active in the town recreation department as a coach for sports, including softball, tennis, racquetball and soccer.

He worked at Digital Equipment Corp. in Nashua, N.H., for eight years.

Mr. Gaudet was involved in Boy Scouts and was a member of the United Chess Federation. He was also a square-dance caller for many years.

He was a member of St. Michael Church in Exeter.

Members of his family include his wife of 19 years, Betty (Dunbar) Gaudet of Exeter, N.H.; a daughter, Tess Gaudet of Exeter, N.H.; parents, John C. "Cliff" and Dorothy

(Barthelemy) Gaudet of Fremont, N.H.; brothers, John C. Gaudet Jr. of Methuen, Joseph P. Gaudet of Fremont, N.H., and David P. Gaudet of Lee, N.H.; sisters, Cynthia J. Cloutier of Andover, Dodie E. Gaudet of Greenfield, Diane M. Munroe of Hopkinton, N.H., Joyce C. Marceau of North Andover, Gail A. Fuller and Wendy S. Gaudet-Noble, both of Fremont, N.H.; two godchildren; and many aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces and nephews.

A Mass will be celebrated Saturday, May 27, at 10 a.m. at St. Michael Church, Front Street, Exeter, N.H. Burial will be in St. Augustine Cemetery.

There are no calling hours.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Norris Cotton Cancer Center, Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center, One Medical Drive, Lebanon, N.H. 03756.

Arrangements were by the Brewitt Funeral Home of Exeter, N.H.

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OBITUARIES

Lawrence J. Carney Sr. Brother lives here

Lawrence J. Carney Sr., 64, of Easthampton died Thursday, May 4, at the Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center in Northampton.

Mr. Carney was born in Lawrence. He attended schools in Hadley.

He was a Marine veteran of the Korean War.

Mr. Carney moved from Greater Lawrence in 1957.

He retired from the National Felt Co. in 1991.

He was a member of Easthampton Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 3422.

Members of his family include his companion, Marie C. Gebo, with whom he lived; sons, George A. Carney of Southampton and Lawrence J. Carney Jr. of Easthampton; daughters, Betty A. Carney, Joan R. Laflamme, Debra A. Grelmsand and Lynn M. Reil, all of Easthampton; brothers, Jeremiah Carney of Andover and Florida and Leo Carney of Hadley; 12 grandchildren; one great-granddaughter; and several nieces and nephews.

Burial was at the convenience of the family.

Arrangements were by Mitchell Funeral Home in Easthampton.

Memorial contributions may be made to American Lung Association, 393 Maple St., Springfield, Mass. 01105.

Wanda Levesque Formerly of Andover

Wanda L. (Szarek) Levesque, 85, of North Andover died Wednesday, May 10, at Wingate in Andover.

Ms. Levesque was born in Lowell and educated in Newburyport schools.

She was a former longtime resident of Andover.

She attended St. Michael Church in North Andover.

Members of her family include her son and daughter-in-law, John R. and Lillian (Arcand) Levesque of North Andover; daughter, Joyce Schrand of West Warwick, R.I.; brothers, Edward Szarek and Henry Szarek, both of Providence, R.I.; sisters, Sandy Collins of Providence, R.I., Gary Wujcik of West Warwick, R.I., and Andrea West of Cranston, R.I.; three grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews in Rhode Island.

A Mass was celebrated Friday at St. Michael Church. Burial was in Ridgewood Cemetery.

Arrangements were by Dewhirst & Conte Funeral Home in North Andover.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Michael Church, Main Street, North Andover, Mass. 01845.

Patrick J. DeSouza Genetics Institute researcher

Patrick J. DeSouza, 33, of 450 Brookside Drive died of cancer Wednesday, May 10, at Beth Israel Hospital in Boston.

Dr. DeSouza was born in Bombay, India. He received a bachelor of science degree in pharmacy with honors in India. Thereafter he joined the Mercer University Southern School of Pharmacy in Atlanta.

He received a master of science degree in pharmacy from the University of Georgia and became the uni-

versity's first Ph.D. graduate in 1992 when he received the doctor of philosophy degree summa cum laude in pharmaceutical sciences.

Dr. DeSouza did research and development of biologicals for therapeutic use at Genetics Institute in Andover.

He attended St. Augustine Church.

Members of his family include his parents, George and Luzia (Vital) De Souza of Bombay, India; brother, Gerard DeSouza of Cleveland, Ohio; sister, Carol D'Costa of Bombay, India; and one nephew.

A Mass was celebrated Saturday at St. Augustine Church. Cremation was at Linwood Crematory in Haverhill.

Arrangements were by Burke Funeral Home.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Elizabeth Seton Asian Center, 1 Ballard Way, Lawrence, Mass. 01843.

Charlotte O'Connor Former Andover resident

Charlotte (Vogel) O'Connor, 90, died Saturday, May 13, at Goodwin Nursing Home in Exeter, N.H.

Ms. O'Connor was born in Lawrence and educated in Lawrence and Methuen schools.

The former Andover resident had lived in Exeter and Hampton, N.H. since 1974.

She worked as a secretary at Arlington Mills in Lawrence, and as a clerk at the Andover Gift Shop.

Ms. O'Connor belonged to the

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QUOTE: "Our souls belong to our bodies, not our bodies to our souls." — Herman Melville

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Charlotte O'Connor

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Friendly Circle at Andover Baptist Church, sang in the choir and was on the board of deacons and the Philethea Group.

Members of her family include her son and daughter-in-law, Stephen C. and Carole O'Connor of North Hampton, N.H.; two grandchildren; and one great-granddaughter.

She was the widow of Stephen O'Connor.

Services were held Tuesday at Allen Funeral Home in Lawrence. Burial was in Bellevue Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to American Heart Association, 20 Speen St., Framingham, Mass. 01701.

Keith A. Kylberg

Owned excavating company

Keith Allan Kylberg, 31, of Belmont, Calif., died Sunday, May 7, at his home.

Mr. Kylberg was born in Niskayuna, N.Y. He attended Northern Essex Community College.

Mr. Kylberg had lived in Andover and was a member of West Parish Church. He had also lived in Tewksbury.

Mr. Kylberg was founder and owner of Kylberg Excavating Co. and was a student at the University of Arizona's California branch campus.

He was a volunteer with Pen Net, an organization that helps people who are unemployed.

Members of his family include his mother, Dorothy J. (McDaniels) Kylberg of North Andover; sister, Jacqueline Lapham of Londonderry, N.H.; brother, Dr. Roger Kylberg of Temple, Texas; former wife, Lisa Siegelman of California; two nieces; and three nephews.

He was also the son of the late William Kylberg.

Services were held Saturday at West Parish Church. Burial was in West Parish Cemetery.

Arrangements were by Dewhirst & Conte Funeral Home in North Andover.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Keith A. Kylberg Memorial Fund, 9 Wilshire Drive, Londonderry, N.H.

Henry G. Dube

Son lives in Andover

Henry G. Dube, 65, of Trevett, Maine, died Saturday, May 13, at St. Andrews Hospital in Boothbay Harbor, Maine.

Mr. Dube was born and educated in Lynn.

He was a former resident of North Andover.

He worked for General Electric in Lynn for 42 years and was manager of the instrumentation labs for the aircraft engine division at the time of his retirement.

He was a member of the Boothbay Civic Association and a fourth-degree

member of Massachusetts Knights of Columbus.

Members of his family include his wife of 45 years, Jean Gardner Dube of Trevett, Maine; sons, Richard H. Dube of Andover, David H. Dube and John H. Dube, both of North Andover; daughters, Joanne Pendergast of Methuen and Jeanne Lombardo of North Andover; and four grandchildren.

Arrangements were by Simmons & Harrington Funeral Home in Boothbay, Maine.

Memorial services will be held Saturday at his home at 11 a.m.

Memorial contributions may be made to Boothbay Civic Association, Box 81, Boothbay, Maine 04537, for the new Memorial Park Center.

Richard A. Dulong

Daughter lives here

Richard A. Dulong, 79, of Methuen died Sunday, May 14, at his home.

Mr. Dulong was born, raised and educated in Reading. He lived in Andover and moved to Methuen in 1961.

Mr. Dulong served in the Navy during World War II.

He worked at Bolta Division of Tyer Rubber in Lawrence and more recently

with Northeast Aluminum in Lawrence until he retired 15 years ago.

Mr. Dulong was an elder in the Mormon Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints of Methuen; was past commander and secretary of the DAV Chapter 18 of Andover; and

was a member and on the board of directors of the National Rifle Association.

He was a volunteer driver for Northern Essex Elderly Transport at Methuen Senior Center.

Mr. Dulong bowled in the Methuen Regional Bowling League at Academy Lanes in Bradford and the Friday Senior Bowling League at Park Place Lanes in Windham, N.H.

His family said he had a love for the sea, dating back to his first tour of duty aboard the *USS Mississippi* at the age of 17.

Members of his family include his wife of 57 years, Marion A. (Ormsby) Dulong of Methuen; daughter and son-in-law, Sandra J. and Allen G. Ober of Andover; sons, Richard L. Dulong of Methuen, Alan R. Dulong of Epping, N.H., and David I. Dulong of West Hatfield and his wife, Marion Dulong; sisters, Margaret Hubbard of Reading and Vera Mims of Palecios, Texas; five grandchildren; one great-grandson; and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

Services were held Monday at the Mormon Church in Methuen. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery.

Arrangements were by Charles F. Dewhirst Funeral Home in Methuen.

Memorial contributions may be made to Merrimack Valley Hospice, 1

Union St., Andover, Mass. 01810.

James L. Forma Jr.

Mother lives in Andover

James L. Forma Jr., 41, of Manchester, N.H., died Wednesday, May 10, at his home.

Mr. Forma was born in Methuen. He lived in Derry, N.H., before moving to Manchester two years ago.

Mr. Forma was a sales manager for Autofair Ford in Manchester, N.H.

At one time he owned the Villa Restaurant in Methuen and Sting Restaurant in Salem, N.H.

He organized golf tournaments throughout New England.

Members of his family include his former wife, Trina (Pappalardo) Forma of Derry, N.H.; children, Samuel J. Forma and Jillian L. Forma, both of Derry, N.H.; mother, Bette E. (Dauber) Forma of Andover; sisters, Maryjane Picanso of Nashua, N.H., and Johanna Forma and Jeannette Forma, both of Maui, Hawaii; and several nieces, nephews, aunts and uncles.

A Mass was celebrated Monday at St. Augustine Church. Burial was in St. Augustine Cemetery.

Arrangements were by Pollard Funeral Home in Methuen.

Memorial contributions may be made on behalf of Mr. Forma's children for an educational fund.

Sally F. Hoyt

Two sisters live here

Sally Frances (Scandura) Hoyt, 61, of Newburyport died Friday, May 12, at Anna Jacques Hospital.

Ms. Hoyt was born and educated in Lawrence. She graduated from Lawrence High School in 1950 and attended Mount Ida College.

She had worked at the Lahey Clinic for many years and was a customer service representative for Continental Cablevision of Newburyport for five years.

Members of her family include her former husband, Frank M. Hoyt of Hampton, N.H.; daughters, Lori Ripa of Exeter, N.H., and Wendy Hoyt of Newburyport; sisters, Ann Jannetti and Mary McCloskey, both of Andover; one grandson; and several nieces and nephews.

A Mass was held Monday at Holy Rosary Church. Burial was in Bellevue Cemetery.

Arrangements were by Cataudella Funeral Home in Methuen.

Marietta B. Amy

Taught at Pike School

Marietta B. (Battles) Amy, 86, of Bradford died Thursday, May 11, at Maplewood Manor Nursing Home in Amesbury.

Ms. Amy was a longtime resident of the Merrimack Valley and formerly lived in Andover.

She attended local schools and studied art at Vesper George School of Art and in Europe.

She was employed in New York in various design positions, including head of the needlework design area at

Simplicity and Talon companies.

After her marriage, she returned to the Andover area and taught at Pike School until her retirement.

Ms. Amy was a watercolorist and a member of the Rockport and Reading art associations.

Members of her family include a daughter, Marietta "Miette" B. Amy of Bradford; brother, Samuel Battles of Keene, N.H.; and several nieces and nephews.

She was the widow of the late Donald L. Amy, who died in 1963.

Services were held Monday at Farmer & Sons Funeral Home in Bradford. Burial was to be in Lowell Cemetery at the convenience of the family.

Mary F. Cox

Attended Andover schools

Mary F. (Moynihan) Cox, 72, of Lawrence and Wells, Maine, died Sunday, May 14, at her home.

Mrs. Cox was born in Buffalo, N.Y. She attended schools in Andover and graduated from McIntosh Business School.

She had lived in Lawrence for 43 years and attended St. Patrick Church.

Members of her family include her husband, William P. Cox of Lawrence; daughters and son-in-law, Judith and Stephen Marley of Andover and Linda and Patrick Daw of Glastonbury, Conn.; son and daughter-in-law, William J. and Penelope Cox of Saugus; four grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

A Mass was celebrated Wednesday at St. Patrick Church. Burial was in St. Mary Cemetery in Tewksbury.

Arrangements were by Hart-McLennan Funeral Home in Lawrence.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Central Catholic High Scholarship Fund, Hampshire Street, Lawrence, Mass.

Brother Leo Richard

Brother of Andover attorney

Brother Leo Richard (Edward A. Morris), 65, of Queens, N.Y., died Saturday, May 13, at Archbishop Molloy High School.

Brother Leo was born in Lawrence. He graduated from St. Augustine Grammar School and Central Catholic High School.

Brother Leo was an outstanding varsity athlete at Central Catholic, his family said. He captained the baseball team and was named a Catholic All-Star in football in 1947. He received a scholarship and played football at the University of Georgia and St. Michael's College.

Brother Leo entered the Order of the Marist Brothers of the Schools in 1950 and graduated from Marist College in Poughkeepsie, N.Y. He taught at the former St. Ann's Academy in Manhattan, N.Y., Marist High School in Bayonne, N.J., and at Archbishop Molloy High School for the past 33 years.

He was founder of the SMILE program, a peer counseling system at Molloy designed to assist students in coping with life's experiences. SMILE is a

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Brother Leo Richard

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model for similar programs throughout the Marist Brothers schools and beyond.

He received several religious and civic awards, including the Queens Conference of Christians and Jews Humanitarian of the Year award in 1981.

Members of his family include his father, Frank Morris of North Andover; sister and brother-in-law, Anne and Daniel Hayes of North Andover; brother and sister-in-law, Michael and Mary Joan Morris of Andover; sisters-in-law, Kathleen Morris of Seabrook, N.H., and Mary Ellen Morris of Nahant; 15 nieces and nephews; and seven grandnieces and nephews.

He was the son of the late Agnes (Nolin) Morris and brother of Richard Morris, who died Jan. 27, 1995, and Frank Morris.

A Mass was celebrated Wednesday at Archbishop Molloy High School. Burial was at the Marist Brothers Retreat House in Esopus, N.Y.

Arrangements were by Fox Funeral Home in Forest Hills, N.Y.

Memorial contributions may be made to Archbishop Molloy High School Development Fund, 83-53 Manton St., Jamaica, Queens, N.Y. 11435.

Anthony J. Beatty Was member of Artists Guild

Anthony John Beatty, 90, of North Andover, died Monday, May 15, at the Prescott House Nursing Home.

Mr. Beatty lived in Greater Lawrence most of his life. He was a 1922 Lawrence High graduate. He also attended the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

He retired from the Massachusetts Electric Co. after 47 years of service in the production department, where he was a supervisor. He also was a member of the board of directors of the credit union.

Mr. Beatty was a member of the Andovers Artists Guild.

An avid golfer, he was a member of Andover Country Club for more than 30 years. He was also a member of the Rowley Country Club.

Members of his family include his wife,

Doris (Kingston) Beatty of North Andover; nephews, Ralph D'Arcangelo Jr. of Haverhill, John J. Yurka Sr. of Dracut and David A. Yurka of Methuen; and many close family friends.

There are no calling hours.

Arrangements are by the Breen Funeral Home, 122 Amesbury St., Lawrence.

Mabel Longe Operated Andover Manse nursing home for 25 years

Mabel Kean Longe, 92, of Walpole, Maine, died Sunday, May 14, at Cove's Edge Nursing Home in Damariscotta, Maine.

Mrs. Longe was born in Woburn.

She earned her R.N. from Lawrence General Hospital School of Nursing.

She worked at several hospitals in Massachusetts and in Springfield, Vt.

Mrs. Longe operated the Andover Manse nursing home in Andover for 25 years. She retired from the Good Sisters Hospital in Methuen at age 70.

She moved to Walpole in 1973.

She was a longtime member of the O.E.S.

Family members include a son, J. Kendall Longe Jr. of Walpole; grandchildren, Wendy Dinsmore and James T. Longe; and three great-grandchildren.

Private internment services were held at Old Walpole Meeting House Cemetery.

Arrangements were by Strong Funeral Home in Damariscotta, Maine.

George W. Duke Lifelong resident worked for town

George W. Duke, 69, of 203 Stowe Court, died yesterday, Wednesday, May 17, at Lawrence General Hospital.

Born in 1926, he was a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II.

Mr. Duke was a former employee of the town of Andover.

A memorial service will be held tomorrow, Friday, at 10 a.m. at Edgerly & Bessom Andover Funeral Home, 33 Pearson St.

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Simone Hermez, in the wheelchair, dances with Pam Jones, director of activities at Wingate of Andover on Andover Street. Ms. Jones recently won a statewide award, Activities Director of the Year, given by the non-profit organization, LIFE, Living Is For Elders.



Newlyweds Mary and Ed Higgins, who married seven weeks ago and who live in North Andover, enjoyed the ball.



Windell Colton and Genevieve Perry were crowned king and queen of the ball.



Trudy Eastman, 97 years old, of Andover, dances with Delia Rinaldi, activities director at Philips Andover Nursing Home on Burnham Road. Ms. Eastman certainly understands the meaning of staying young.



Young At Heart Ball

Close to 200 people attended the Young At Heart Ball last Wednesday, May 16, at the Andover Marriott. The ball was held in celebration of Older Americans Day, which was May 10.

Photos by Lisa Adelsberger

In the photo above, Eilif "Toby" and Florence Tobiason do the Swedish three-step polka. They are from Ipswich and were the guests of Andover residents Edith and Bob Sanborn at the Young At Heart Ball.



Teresa Courers and Lyle Berry had a grand time. Most know Ms. Courers because she plays the piano at the Senior Center.



State Rep. Gary Coon dances with his grandmother, Freda Phelps.

Dick Neal is settling into the superintendent's seat

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the communication throughout the community," he said. "There are a lot of areas where, as a result of events or perceptions or other considerations, the lines of communication have broken down, and that is certainly something I need to work on energetically from now to forever, I guess."

The new superintendent said he plans to attend parent and school-group meetings to encourage input.

One of the reasons some parents distrust certain school leaders is because of the forced resignation of Sam Campbell, the popular principal of West Middle School.

Mr. Neal said all of the other Andover principals will be offered a contract for next year.

Mr. Neal asks those interested in the reasons for Dr. Campbell's resignation to read the principal's personnel files because he doesn't think it's right for him to talk publicly about an employee.

"I just don't like doing that, ethically," he said.

Dr. Campbell has opened those files for the month of May. Mr. Neal said he hopes to have West Middle's new principal selected by early June. There will be a screening committee of parents, staff and possibly administration to go over the applications and then an interview team to narrow the pool further. Under education reform, Mr. Neal will select the new principal.

Technology

The schools will also get a new assistant superintendent, and a coordinator for math, science and technology during the summer. The School Commit-

tee appoints the former and the superintendent, the latter.

Filling these positions and responding to the mandates of the Education Reform Act will provide Mr. Neal with the opportunity to make some significant change in the Andover schools.

Mr. Neal said he wants to make sure educational programs continue smoothly from one level to another.

"I have a concern that we seem to

ing with people on is to make sure that (technology) gets infused in all curriculum areas. I don't see it as a separate entity. (It's) a tool and it needs to be incorporated into every curriculum piece," said Mr. Neal.

Setting priorities

While Mr. Neal hopes to see a major change in technology use during his first year, he said he also wants to engage the School Committee and the

orities of the town and to look at the way the town business is done," said Mr. Neal.

The most important priority for the schools, he said, is to hire the new teachers necessary because of the growing student population.

"We're probably looking at 15 or 20 new people per year based on the population growth," said Mr. Neal. "Probably no other department is as driven by population as this one is."

Educational beliefs

In terms of his educational stance, Mr. Neal said he does not support expanding leveling into the elementary schools.

"I believe in heterogeneously grouped instruction at the elementary level," he said. "I don't have a problem with a leveling of the math at the middle school but I certainly would not support leveling other subjects at the middle school and I believe in heterogeneous grouping of the elementary school."

Mr. Neal also offered limited support to the idea of involuntary teacher transfers.

"I think there are times when it is beneficial to have some transfer of teachers. I don't think it's appropriate to every year shuffle the deck," he said. "I wouldn't want to be in a position where I was told every year 'X' number of teachers had to move."

"Again, I think it would be rather demoralizing to a staff and to a principal if I, as the superintendent, started plucking people out of the building that they had brought into the building and were building their school climate around," he said.

"There are a lot of areas where, as a result of events or perceptions or other considerations, the lines of communication have broken down, and that is certainly something I need to work on energetically from now to forever, I guess."

have, in my estimation, an elementary program and a middle-school program and a High-School program and they're not necessarily articulated from level to level. I think that's a critical piece and an important piece we need to work on," he said.

The schools will implement a new K-12 science program next year as part of its curriculum cycle. However, Mr. Neal said implementing technology into all of the classrooms is his first order of curriculum business.

Andover approved a \$2 million override for technology last year to make sure all the schools in the system will receive a technological upgrade.

"We certainly have the community commitment for that and it's incumbent upon us to make sure that gets fulfilled. What I'm looking for and work-

community in developing a "longer-range view of where we want the schools to be in five to 10 years."

With the town considering several considerable expansions, Mr. Neal said he believes town and school officials need to sit down and prioritize Andover's future needs.

Yet, similar to its relationship with parents, the school department's relationship with the town government has seen better days.

"The relationships between the various boards in the town, for whatever reason, are not as positive as they once were and I think that I have a role to play in helping to bring those back to a more positive direction. It's very important for the town, between the boards and the town manager and myself, to rethink and redefine the pri-

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The committee also voted to move citizen input time until after the first item on the agenda. This assured that school council members at Andover High, Shawshen and Sanborn schools would give their presentation to the committee Tuesday.

When the time arrived for community input, Reed Donoghue, a West



Reed Donoghue

Middle School sixth-grader who lives on Lowell Street, kept his remarks short.

He asked Dick Neal, superintendent, to listen to the students who want to see Dr. Campbell continue as principal.

Reed presented Mr. Neal with a petition signed by 217 West Middle School students, the majority of them from the sixth grade. According to Nancy Groff, a West Middle School council member who attended the meeting with Reed, 20 additional students had also signed the petition, but someone else had that page of the signatures. There are approximately 600 students at West Middle School.

The petition read, in part: "We would like to know why our principal and friend has been forced out. Dr. Campbell is the most suited for the job and is a great principal. These are the people that will be sad and frustrated to see him go."

Reception for Sam Campbell

The West Middle School PAC will hold a reception to honor

Dr. Campbell Tuesday, June 13, 7:30-9 p.m. at West Middle School cafeteria. Children are welcome in the company of parents. Those who wish to make a contribution toward the reception should make a check to West Middle School PAC and return it in an envelope marked "Reception" to their child's homeroom teacher by Tuesday, May 30.

High school problems high-priced

By Neil Fater

Andover is paying approximately \$400 per day to water down the Andover High School construction site.

Workers are not using the fire hydrants at AHS because Robert McQuade, public works director for the town, told the committee that hydrant pressure will loosen pipe sediment, said Susan Jenkins, School Building Committee member. She said opening up the hydrants will muddy neighbors' water.

As a result, the building committee is

using a pumper truck to water the area to keep dust to a minimum. Although no official cost has been reported, Sharman Lappin, project manager, said she expects the truck will cost around \$400 per day.

The town is looking for other solutions and Ms. Lappin said, "We were informed by DPW hopefully within a week or two we would know" how else to water the site.

Other problems

Expensive water is not the High School

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Selectmen are down on Rec Park for youth center

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bring related warrant articles to a town meeting. But the board dodged a vote. Mr. Major said the council really needs a vote of support so members "know they aren't just spinning their wheels."

Mr. Silverman said that while he supports the idea of a youth center, it would be premature for board members to approve any town meeting articles. He said he believes the Rec Park location was the problem with the proposal that failed at April Town Meeting. He said that continues to be a problem.

Selectman Barry Finegold said he recognizes that the majority of Town Meeting attendees supported the idea of a youth center, even though the vote fell short of the two-thirds required to pass, but that he would have to get more specifics on the location and costs before voting on anything.

Selectman William Downs said he is

in favor of youth services, but that he wants to see a single warrant article come through the town manager next time this proposal makes it to town meeting, rather than a multiple choice

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offering. Mr. Downs said that he doesn't know who he is dealing with on the youth center - the Council, the Department of Community Services or the town manager - and suggested it should be the town manager.

For the last year and a half, the Youth Council has worked uniformly with the town manager, town council and the finance director, Mr. Major

said. Buzz Stapczynski, town manager, said he worked for the past year on plans for a center with members of the Youth Council. But he said the Council is now looking for a vote from the political leaders of the community, after which his staff members would be willing to offer all the help that they can to bring the project to life.

Mr. Finegold said that if people are looking for selectmen to lead the charge on the youth-center project, then selectmen need to sit down and "hammer it out" with the Youth Council and decide whether they are going to move forward. And he is wholeheartedly in favor of that, Mr. Finegold said.

"I think it is irresponsible of this board to keep saying, 'Come back, come back,'" Mr. Finegold said. "It's been a year and a half. It's going to keep going until we work something out."

Mr. Major encouraged the idea of

such a meeting.

Dr. Larsen received from Don Robb, Finance Committee chairman, a list of questions that need to be answered before his board could consider endorsing a proposal at town meeting. That list has been passed on to the Youth Council, he said.

Dr. Larsen said the FinCom needs to sit down with selectmen and the Youth Council to discuss what is needed from the Council.

"I know this is painful for you," Dr. Larsen told Mr. Pattullo. "You have a dream and we have it with you. But this is the process."

A meeting of the two boards and the council was tentatively set for this Monday, night, May 22, at town offices. Mr. Finegold told Mr. Pattullo he really wanted to see the town's youth show up at the meeting to show their support.

"So call all your friends," Mr. Finegold said.

AHS dual-enrollment program on the ropes

By Neil Fater

Melissa Dearborn got straight A's at Northern Essex Community College this semester, but the state Legislature may send her back to high school.

Ms. Dearborn, a junior at Andover High School, is one of 786 Massachusetts' high-school students taking advantage of the state's dual enrollment program this year.

Under this program she and other high-school juniors and seniors are taking college courses to both fulfill their high-school requirements and to get a head start at college.

"The High School kind of wasn't giving me what I needed," said Ms. Dearborn, who was sometimes bored in class. "You have to work a lot harder (in the college classes), but it pays off in the end."

The question now is whether the state will pay to continue this program.

Despite the program's first-year success, in April the state House of Representatives dropped from its version of the state budget \$500,000 earmarked for dual enrollment. Legislators said they made this and other educational cuts because they want to increase state assistance to communities for the Education Reform Act from \$25 per student to \$75.

The dual enrollment cut will have the most impact on juniors like Ms. Dearborn, who is one of 102 students to take all her classes at a college.

Students must have a 3.0 grade-point average and the recommendation of their school to join the program. Students or their families provide transportation and buy their own books, while the state picks up the cost of tuition.

"If the funding doesn't work I'm not going back to the High School. I've seen a different world and I'm not going back now," said Ms. Dearborn.

"It's such an incredible program, I would hate to see it cut."

She's not the only one who feels this way.

"I have a folder that is bulging from high schools that are attempting to encumber funds for students," said Winniphred Stone, senior policy analyst in the state's Executive Office of Education.

"I have received so many comments from students, principals and guidance counselors just saying what a great program this is," said Ms. Stone. "I have not heard any negative comments and I've been dealing with many, many guidance counselors, as you might imagine."

But one of the problems for supporters of the program is that it is so new few people know much about it, said Ms. Dearborn.

As a result people such as her mother, Sandy, of Brechin Terrace, are trying to drum up support by calling state senators. The Senate can save the program by placing it in its budget and forcing the issue into a bicameral budget committee.

"I've called a few senators' offices and they say, 'How come you're calling us? You're not even in our district,'" she said.

John O'Brien, D-Andover, said, "I love the program," but would not know if he would vote to include it in the budget until after the Senate budget presentation yesterday, Wednesday. Budget debate is expected to begin Monday.

Sen. O'Brien said he didn't know if the Senate would follow the House's lead and place funds for dual enrollment in conflict with those for education-reform assistance to communities.

It's possible, he said. "They'll say, 'Well, O'Brien, if you want to fund the minimum assistance, where are you

going to find the money?'"

If the state doesn't decide to find money to fund this program, the Dearborns intend to pay for Melissa to continue at Northern Essex themselves.

Fortunately, Andover High students have another option. According to Principal Tim Thomas, Merrimack College, a private school, pays the tuition for students who want to take classes there. Seven students did so this fall and three are doing so currently.

But on a state-wide basis, the elimination of state funding for dual enrollment creates serious equity issues, said Ms. Stone. Without state funding, the only people who will use the program are those who can afford it.

Ms. Stone said elimination of the program will also place federal funding for projects such as the School-to-Work Initiative in jeopardy.

"We will have to grapple to find where we can get a match to get federal money," she said. "Dual enrollment

was just a perfect fit."

Dual enrollment also provides students with a chance to take classes their high schools simply can't offer. In recent years, the budget ax has struck many elective classes in Andover and elsewhere. Ms. Dearborn, for instance, is taking a CAD/CAM course at Northern Essex.

"It's definitely given me what the High School couldn't," she said. "I like going there. It's given me the motivation to go to school and to like it and to do well."

Ms. Dearborn, who attended her junior prom at AHS and who can join High School clubs, also said she doesn't miss her former school on Shawshen Road.

"Not at all. I think I'm gaining a lot more than I could ever be missing," she said. "I guess I never, ever thought I'd say I like school - but I really, really like school. You pick your classes, you pick where you want to go. It's different."

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project's only problem, as architects, contractors and committee members have been at odds in recent weeks.

Also, on May 5 Andover High School was evacuated when fumes from hot-topping work in back of the school were sucked into the air shafts.

Everett Penney, health director, said he received a call from Principal Tim Thomas shortly after 11 a.m. that day because the hot-topping workers would not stop their work without input from the general contractor.

"The hot-top fumes were going through an air intake," said Mr. Penney, "and it was getting distributed to about eight or 10 classrooms."

"The library was the main area because that was a huge area. We had to evacuate that first," he said.

Mr. Penney said about 20 or 30 kids reported to the nurse and "I know of only two who actually vomited outside of the school."

"A couple (three) pregnant teachers left the school because they were concerned about the fumes," he said.

EDITORIALS

We won't be stonewalled

We aren't giving up on asking for answers about Sam Campbell. Neither are 217 West Middle students who signed a petition asking to know why their "great principal" is leaving.

Why is the popular West Middle School principal leaving?

Since we have been allowed to look into Dr. Campbell's personnel file and we see nothing that would warrant his being forced out of the system, we ask: Why is Sam Campbell leaving?

Parents, teachers, voters and students deserve an answer. Why is Dr. Campbell leaving?

We keep asking the same question, but we are being stonewalled. We think the new three-minute per-person per-issue limit the School Committee has placed on citizen input at meetings is another stonewalling method.

Some people must think this issue will go away after a while, when the community loses its energy to follow it. We think it will be a thorn in the side of the current administration until some answers are forthcoming.

School Committeeman Lloyd Willey says he answered the question the night the School Committee elected Dick Neal superintendent. We didn't hear a satisfactory answer.

Mr. Willey said that goals for West Middle School weren't being met, but no one has said what those goals were, or *are*. If we don't know what the goals for West Middle School are that aren't being met, how can we choose a new principal for that school? Or will the community be left out of that process, too?

In other words, is there new policy on how West Middle School should be administered?

If Mr. Neal isn't going to reconsider and offer Dr. Campbell a contract, then the community has another worry: What kind of a person are we looking for to head up West Middle School? If the parents and students say Dr. Campbell is doing an excellent job, but he was forced out by the current administration, then does that say that the new principal will be someone very unlike Dr. Campbell?

Sounds like trouble to us.

Therefore we repeat: Why is Sam Campbell leaving West Middle School?

A presumptuous title

Editor, Townsman:

I am writing in frustration and disappointment with the "controlling majority" of the Andover School Committee, regarding the superintendent election. A feeling in the town prevailed that this was a "done deal." This bothered me, but I did not get actively involved until three weeks ago.

At the time, while in a School Council meeting at the High School, I noted the letterhead from Mr. Neal had listed him as superintendent, not acting or interim superintendent as was his position. I found this to be presumptuous and misleading. I questioned three School Committee members and Mr. Neal himself on this issue. I felt totally brushed off by Mr. Willey and Mr. Neal, while Mr. Birnbach and Ms. Girdwood listened attentively to my concerns. The thoughts of "done deal" came back to me and from there I proceeded to get more involved.

I met with each candidate at their community reception. Only a handful of the same interested people were there each night, until the evening of Mr. Neal's reception. That night many townsfolk, teachers and staff were present to show their support. My question to these people is, "Where were you on the other nights

when you had the opportunity to meet the candidates you did not know?"

I listened objectively all Saturday morning to the debriefings, a phrase coined by Ms. Dalton. I could not get over Ms. Dalton's negative attitude regarding the out-of-town candidates and the site visits. Was she really at the same site? How could the majority feel so positive about the visit and she so negative? I left that meeting with the same "done deal" feeling. I felt all that committee work and evaluations were set up to placate the community - to have them feel involved.

Thus, my approach to the School Committee had to change. I felt if the "controlling majority" had indeed made up its mind, I had to implore on someone's integrity; that he would listen to the people. Unfortunately, Mr. Willey, you disappointed me, but did not surprise me. You said you would probably lose half your friends over your choice. As importantly, you lost the trust of many people as well. I listened to all your negative reasonings regarding the candidates and wondered what happened to all the positives each candidate brought. It's time for new glasses, Mr. Willey, preferably (a pair in focus).

You, the Andover School Committee, were elected to represent the peo-

ple of this town. We spoke for change and the "controlling majority" turned a deaf ear. You were not fair or objective. I feel you made your choice prior to Monday's meeting as evidenced by your prepared statements.

But now the die is cast. You, a "controlling majority" have made your decision and we must live with it FOR NOW. We must unite as a community to work together for the good of our children, school and town. Keep your voices heard and they will ring loud and clear in March when we vote again for a School Committee member.

Congratulations to the High School student committee who worked so hard. Your interest and enthusiasm showed; your disappointment was felt by many. You are a credit to your families, the schools and the town. My faith is strengthened knowing you are our future leaders.

Patricia E. Shepard
56 Bailey Road

Increasing intolerance

Editor, Townsman:

I have lived in this town for over 11 years now and there is a change in the past few years toward increasing intolerance and just plain meanness

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For her mother, life was an adventure

By Champa Bilwakesh

My mother stood five feet nothing, 150 pounds, and was affectionately called "Paapa" - baby - by my grandfather. The first-born of four children, the nickname aptly describes the attitude she held toward life - an adventure.

She inherited my grandfather's passion for chess, beating him at it mercilessly, as well as his exquisite sense of identity with nature. She dabbled in everything that caught her fancy at that time - painting and sketching, knitting, sewing, basket weaving, painting egg shells. Achieving mastery of the skill was not the goal but rather the pleasure of just doing it. Lack of experience was a forceful argument to try anything new.

She fixed toasters and radios, taking them apart, watching the electrician who came to fix them and plying him with questions. She fought a losing battle with her weight and my brother and I watched in wonder and giggled while she did her self-designed workout in her petticoat and bra. A woman of the '90s born before her time.

She loved animals and was fascinated by them. Once she fed orphaned baby bats with milk soaked in cotton balls and nursed them back to health. My brother and I watched the crows feasting on rice that she placed on the windowsill every morning, while she prepared

absorbed the language and culture, which was necessary to do the marketing, manage the servants and to make friends. She experimented with the regional cuisine and as a consequence, had an extensive repertoire of recipes. The recipes were never written down but carried in her senses.

Once my father was stationed in Assam, a region of mountains and wilderness bordering the Himalayas in northeast India. When my mother heard of Kaziranga, a wild-life sanctuary located in the mountains, having one of the world's largest collection of rhinoceros in its natural habitat, she was determined to make a trip there.

"Paapa, you're crazy! Do you think you're some kind of a safari-woman? No bloody way are we going on a safari." My father turned red in the face, the usual color it turned when he was dealing with one of my mother's ideas.

"I want to see the wild animals in their natural surroundings," my mother said, simply.

"Paapa, you're a foolish woman.

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Guest Column

our breakfast. She was forever trying new techniques to teach our old dog to fetch, who stubbornly resisted all her attempts but was fiercely loyal to her.

My father was an actuary and worked for the Life Insurance Corporation of India. His job required frequent moves to different parts of the country, sometimes remote areas. Rather than dreading these moves, my mother embraced this opportunity to experience the diversity in culture, language and foods in the different regions of India. She accompanied father with great enthusiasm, everywhere his job took him, and herded her brood, three and then five of us, along. Once there, she

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in our civil relations. This is uncharacteristic of the Andover I have known and it is disturbing. I see the editor of the *Townsmen* playing a major role in this transformation locally, but I feel it is also part of a cultural war of sorts playing itself out nationally as our country moves to more conservative values due to the demographics of an aging population and the reaction to the social breakdown of 40 years of well intended social programs that have had unexpected negative results.

It seems that if you have an opinion that differs from your neighbor not only is that neighbor wrong in their conclusions, but that neighbor must have their motivations, values, honesty, integrity and level of commitment to their community brought into serious question. It also seems that since your neighbor does not agree with you, that it must be concluded that the neighbor clearly has not listened to what you have to say.

Such has been the experience of the failed attempt at a youth center, the recent selection of superintendent of schools, and the controversy surrounding the Sam Campbell resignation. We need to reaffirm within ourselves that most people are honest, care very much for their community, and try to do their very best (in their judgment) for the town. The shrill drumbeat of constant accusation and a newspaper that gives it voice both on and off the editorial page, serve us no common good as a community.

Those who voted against the youth center, and I am one of them, are not NIMBY'S, they love their children and the community (including its youth), and most do not oppose the concept of a youth center. The problem is clearly the location. I do not want to be just another town with a failed youth center. The location is not accessible, it is a difficult location to police for the good of all users, and I am concerned with the adjacent pond and the potential of injury and liability for the town should we have a tragedy there. These are all reasonable concerns that decent people can have. I hope they are addressed and brought back before the community in a session, not in the summer months when much of the town is not present, but at a time when the community can truly approve and buy into the youth center.

I watched the recent superintendent of schools selection. I also followed the drumbeat of advantage being portrayed by the editor of this newspaper in the weeks leading up to the selection both on and off the editorial pages and I must admit I was nauseated by it all. It was a tough vote for all five members and a thankless task to boot. I was not disturbed by any of the comments of any of the committee members and appreciated the detailed accounts of reasoning given by each for their vote. We are entitled to this. My only comment is that I expected the same kind of detail and homework from Mr. Birnbach in this regard that we received from the other four people but I am sure there were reasons for this.

These are five very dedicated people

who love their town and our children, and we as a community should take on faith that anyone willing to put in the time and suffer the public and private consequences of difficult votes of conscience on such issues as superintendent selection, redistricting and major building projects at least deserve the same respect from us that we demand of them.

I do not know Mr. Neal and have never met him, but I have heard many good things about him through the years. He, as well as any of the current school employees that give so much to our children, should not be eliminated from promotional consideration merely because they work here. To choose our own people if most qualified does not make a shame of a selection process.

Mr. Frishman spoke to the issue of an inside selection having a chilling effect on our future ability to attract outside candidates. Was any thought given to the chilling effect of not giving serious consideration to current employees within the system merely because they already work here? This newspaper undignified itself through its subtle and not so subtle program to undermine Mr. Neal as a person and a professional to soften the ground for another selection. The highlighted piece broadcasting only his vote at town meeting on a zoning article of a School Committee member with all its obvious innuendo at a delicate time for him was ugly and not worthy of an award-winning community newspaper. It will certainly have a chilling effect on other citizens in the future

who wish to exercise their right to vote but may be temporarily in a delicate career or family situation.

The recent headline discussing parents and "an attorney" discussing the resignation of Sam Campbell could just have well have said parents and "a doctor, an insurance agent, or a software engineer." This parent was not acting in their occupation, but the use of their title cast a desired innuendo of illegal behavior or aura of improper activity which the *Townsmen* obviously thought might be helpful, however unfair it may have been to Mr. Neal. You cannot have it both ways, professing great concern on a human level for Mr. Campbell, and not extending that fairness to others. Let us hope that we and our community newspaper can regain a sense of balance and fairness to all citizens regardless of our ideas and bring back the sense of cohesive community that Andover has been so known for in the past.

Robert R. McCumber
23 Arundel St.

Amazing conclusion

Editor, *Townsmen*:

"Dr. Krewer is a creator, a lover, and a giver with the compassion, vision and ability to make the Andover school system the best it can possibly be." These are the words of five high school seniors, Andrew Ewalt, Aaryn Schmuhl, Andrew Shen, Kevin Shepard and Sarah Weir. They were able to come to this amazing conclusion prior to the debriefing session and after

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For this woman, the purpose of life was to consume it

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You'll have to ride on an elephant. At your age this is a big risk. What if the elephant gets scared and runs amok? What're you going to do then, huh?"

"Why should that happen? It won't happen. You're just scared of everything."

"Oh, right, you think you're so brave. You're just foolish and reckless. You're going to break your neck, that's what will happen."

We went on the safari.

We left our lodge well before dawn, accompanied by two guides. We rode a Jeep through grass five feet tall, to a tall structure several feet high, with steps leading up to a platform, the "machan." My father took one look at it and asked the driver to turn around, but luckily the man assured him of its safety. Being the youngest, I was the only one living with my parents at this time. The three of us climbed the machan and "boarded" the elephant, my father with great reluctance but unwilling to let my mother go alone. Animals always scared me, but I went along, the alternate being left alone with the guide.

My mother was excited and also a

little nervous, but hid it well. On the back of the elephant was a saddle with four seats, with the "driver" in the front. I sat between my parents, snuggled against my mother's generous back, holding on to her sari. My father kept up a constant barrage of how foolish and reckless this whole thing was, and predicted our horrible deaths trampled by the elephants.

"If the elephant gets scared and runs, please hold on tight. If you fall down, we cannot stop to help you," the guide informed us cheerfully.

Ignoring my father's reaction, my mother looked around eagerly, hoping to spot the rhinos. We saw several of them, benignly chewing the grass, giving us sidelong glances as we strolled past silently. She was delighted and remarked how sweet they were.

"Do rhinos eat people?" I whispered to my father.

"Rhinos are vegetarians," he said. I was relieved.

The guides helped us spot several deer, buffaloes, birds, but no cheetahs or leopards, much to my mother's disappointment. We rocked and rolled to the elephant's walk and after an hour rode back to our "boarding dock" just

as the sun came up.

My father got off the saddle first, followed by me. My father extended his arm to help my mother out, but she could not move. Her leg had gone to sleep and she could not get up due to her bulky frame. She also did not think she could make it down the steps. I admired my father's self-control when he did not say "I told you so" even once. One of the guides hurried back to the lodge to bring a makeshift chair-lift to get my mother down.

We waited in the middle of the Kaziranga marsh land, with my mother sitting on the elephant's back. The clouds turned silhouette against a red sky and soon the marshes became golden. We listened as the wildlife around us perked up to bird calls. My mother and the guide fell in to a deep conversation about the habits of the animals and birds around us. He pointed to the vegetation around and went into details of the animal foodchain. I listened with one eye, watching for any sudden movements that might have made us part of the foodchain.

We carefully got my mother down and safely into the Jeep, and much to

my father's relief, headed back to the lodge. We turned off the dirt track and onto the main road when we spotted a group of people, men and women and children, huddled around a campfire. They were dressed in the colorful clothes of the tribals which they were. The women carried bundles on their backs which, upon closer observation, turned out to be backpacks from which peeked rosy-cheeked plump little baby faces. My mother went nuts and wanted to stop right there and cuddle those babies. The driver explained that they were the "border people" from Bhutan, the foothills of the Himalayas, come to trade their goods, mostly hand-woven and hand-printed cloth, bead jewelry, pottery, handicrafts and herbal medicines. The bazaar was held in a remote area, on the foothills of the mountains, usually on Thursdays.

Guess where my mother wanted to be on the following Thursday?

Ms. Bilwakesh, the mother of a daughter, 23, and son, 16, lives at 5 Garfield Lane East. With her husband, K.R. Bilwakesh, who is in marketing. Ms. Bilwakesh, whose mother died four years ago, is an accountant.

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spending only 30 minutes touring the High School and asking questions of each superintendent candidate.

I'm sitting here contemplating all that has gone on these past few weeks in "my home town." I find it unbelievable. People should stop and listen to themselves. Madhu Sridhar, townwide PTO co-president, says, "We should empower these children." Call me old-fashioned, but I think not. I will listen to what I believe is right. Then I will do my homework, to know it is right.

Having been involved in the superintendent's search process from the very beginning, I spent well over 40 hours reviewing applications and interviewing candidates. I was also invited to question each of the candidates again at the High School with four other parents for 30-minute sessions. For the record, we could each ask one question in that time frame. I then proceeded to fill out all my paperwork and passed it along to the School Committee along with my recommendations.

I do strongly believe the process was followed. Whether or not my candidate was elected to the position of the new superintendent is not the issue. I find it

truly offensive that the *Townsmen* called this process bogus. It sounds like sour grapes to me.

I would like to know when the editor of the *Townsmen* became a mind-reader enabling her to make the statement in her editorial that "some School Committee members knew several months ago who they were voting for." Having served on the superintendent's search committee, I didn't know several months ago whose names would be on the final list handed over the School Committee. How could she?

Also, the editor of the *Townsmen* stated that regarding the process, one School Committee member came to the meeting with a typed, prepared statement of his choice. Being at that meeting, I believe four of the five School Committee members came prepared and articulated extremely well their reasons for supporting the candidate of their choice. The fifth member only stated he had a philosophical difference with the other members, but made no statement in defense of his candidate.

I do agree wholeheartedly with the editor that we as a community respect the vote of the School Committee and get behind Mr. Neal 100 percent so that we can finally move on.

However, I cannot agree with the editor regarding Dr. Campbell. The School Committee has elected a leader. A leader we all should support. A leader

who is his own man. A leader who listens, but who has to follow what he feels is in the best interest for the children of Andover. As Steve Jankauskas said, "Just because someone doesn't always give you the answer you want, doesn't mean they don't listen." You can't say support him 100 percent on one hand and on the other say support him 100 percent only if he changes his mind based on the very vocal minority. I don't believe this was the leader our School Committee chose to lead our schools and to make them the best they can be.

I hope Andover is ready to support Mr. Neal 100 percent, regardless of the *Townsmen's* condition to rehire Dr. Campbell, so he can do his job and we can continue to be proud of our schools and our students.

Myrna and Howard Zetlan
8 Candlewood Drive

Enough is enough

Editor, *Townsmen*:

I have never written to the *Townsmen* in view of Ms. Colmore's insightful and often tongue-in-cheek editorials about life, the town, teens, death, dogs, politics, etc. I've admired the dedication of its readers and find most letters extremely articulate. I hope it's finally my turn.

A few years ago while applying for a job, I had to fill out a character assess-

ment questionnaire. One of the questions was, "Would you leave a job in order to uphold your code of ethics?" I answered no, but knew in my heart, yes, I wanted the job. I later left that job due to that conflict, but not before speaking up first. No one, however, wanted to get involved.

Are we becoming totally desensitized to the harm of kidding about things such as domestic violence and society's value of women? For three years I have listened to my daughter's painfully casual remarks from certain teachers regarding the inferiority and stupidity of students, many times female students. A recent remark came from a teacher while holding up a wooden dowel in front of the class as he remarked, "I got tired of beating up my wife with this stick, so I thought I'd put it to good use."

I asked my daughter, who seldom complains about anything, what the reaction was to his comment and her response was that no one laughs anymore because they expect it. When I confronted the teacher about the incident, his dry response was that if his students misinterpreted his humor, he could not be responsible for it. Another repeated insult comes from a different teacher, "Let the boys run ahead in case the girls forget to turn." This is only a sickening sampling of the many derogatory remarks made by some

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teachers. When is enough enough? They are supposed to be role models and professionals as they have an active role in paving the way to our children's belief system about themselves.

Recently our son was sarcastically instructed by one of these teachers to throw the ball like a girl. He proudly wound up and threw a pass halfway down the field. The teacher replied, "I said, throw like a girl." My son's response? "I did." Nice going, kid.

Kathi Chang
56 Pleasant St.

PA neighbor objects to development plans

Editor, Townsman

To the Trustees of Phillips Academy:

About a month ago, we were made aware of the potential for a variety of

subdivision development schemes for our immediate neighborhood, most of which involved land currently held by the academy. This land, originally acquired as a "buffer zone" to protect the institution's western boundaries, has been deemed expendable (with limited constraint) by the school's governance.

With an endowment in excess of \$250 million, our conclusion is that the motive for this action is not financial. What, then, are we witnessing? Is this action the harbinger of things to come? Does this represent an underlying change in the fundamental philosophy of the academy? We are asking ourselves, what compelling rationale requires Phillips Academy to suddenly dispose of lands it has held for decades?

The discussions with the school's representatives to date have been characterized as deferential, oblique and disingenuous by the neighborhood. Because of the avowed timetable of the developer to file a preliminary subdivision schematic with the town by mid-May, the neighborhood has elected to address its concerns directly to those who hold the ultimate fiduciary

responsibility for all actions of Phillips Academy, thereby holding out hope of an understanding and responsible dialogue, absent so far in this undertaking.

We see two signal issues and several that are of lesser importance as strategic arguments, but nonetheless, are of keen interest to the neighborhood.

The first concern can be characterized as environmental in nature. The land is generally made up of Boston glacial till aggregate and clay. Water runoff under existing conditions is troublesome. Often, an ancient streambed is activated, causing flooding on Abbot Street as it runs down grade from the higher ground targeted for this particular development. Substantial wetlands are part of the proposed subdivision(s) and their disturbance seems inevitable. The existing high water table can only be exacerbated by the removal of grasses, trees and plant life which now keep some semblance of control in the rainy season. Taken in the cumulative, the neighborhood is convinced that substantial risk to itself is likely in the event the proposed development goes forward.

The second principal concern involves public safety. Timing is especially relevant regarding this issue since Phillips Academy has successfully petitioned to have Main Street, Route 28, reduced from four to two lanes for the safety of its students. Then, without pause, plans to convert all this land into housing with their 2.5 cars per family with a callous disregard for the safety of the neighborhood. The neighborhood notes the skill with which the academy has moved to protect its students from traffic on Route 28. This demonstrates the parallel concerns the neighborhood has concerning the development of lands held by the academy in its midst. In 1993, Abbot Street was "rototilled" and repaved. Since that time, the speedway it always was has been improved into a genuine autobahn. The additional load represented by the proposed developments can only guarantee undue risk to those who must use this route on a daily basis and their children. The schemes dump traffic into either a curve or a "blind" street. It is the considered judgment of the neighborhood that such an additional load is both dangerous and

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PA development

unacceptable.

On these first two points, the neighborhood is of one mind - to oppose, by every means available, the consummation of the proposed development(s). The neighborhood would like to think the governance of Phillips Academy will take the high road and avoid a protracted and public condemnation of those schemes by those threatened with the consequences of their actualization for time immemorial.

The last point is, arguably, not so much a legal question as it is a social, moral and ethical issue. If each trustee of Phillips Academy were to put himself or herself in the moccasins of those in the instant neighborhood, the issue quickly solidifies.

We're talking about changing the historical character of the neighborhood.

The academy itself provides us with the appropriate analogy, as found in the original thinking that led to the acquisition of the subject property in the first place. The rationale was to create a "land bank" to be held indefinitely as a barrier to development on the western front of the school. Over the years, all approaches to purchase lots held by the academy in this area were rebuffed. Indeed, until a month ago, the neighborhood held a common belief that the academy subscribed to the very issues identified in this letter and, therefore, had no plans to abandon its holdings and social responsibilities.

Consequently, the abrupt change of position by the

school's administration, operating within the broad language of the trustee's vote, as and is seen by the neighborhood as a repudiation of a long-standing de facto social contract with those living and raising their children in the environs of Phillips Academy/Abbot Street/Prides Circle.

For these reasons, still in good faith, we neighbors are anticipating Phillips Academy to hear and understand the other side of the coin regarding this land bank. We ask that the trustees of Phillips Academy demonstrate again their capacity for corporate citizenship by agreeing to explore and negotiate the plans of its administration to proceed with the disposal of its land holdings and its participation in the development of that land in the Abbot Street/Prides Circle community. The neighborhood stands ready to discuss this at the pleasure of the trustees.

Robert L. Whidden
3 Spruce Circle

Head-on collision

Editor, *Townsmen*:

Last Thursday afternoon, we had the unfortunate experience to be involved in a head-on collision on Dascomb Road. Two of the passengers were seriously hurt as well as the driver of the other car who is in intensive care.

The response from the Andover Fire Department as well as the EMTs, in addition to the Tewksbury emergency personnel, was overwhelming and most professional. One additional extension of kindness which, we feel, must be acknowledged was the sensitivity of Officer



Photo by Don Staruk

Two Andover residents were among four women injured in this head-on crash near 120 Dascomb Road at 2 p.m. Thursday, May 11. Joan Sweeney, 46, of Whiffletree Circle, driver of the van at left, was taken to Holy Family Hospital with possible head, chest, hip and foot injuries. Kim McElfresh, 38, of Nob Hill Circle, a passenger in the van, was admitted to Lawrence General Hospital with a fractured left femur, and was listed in good condition Tuesday. Dorothy Szuch, 48, of Weston, Conn., also a passenger in the van, was taken to Holy Family with facial and knee lacerations and pain in her back. She was treated and released. The driver of the second car, Wilhelmine H. Lorette, 60, of Tewksbury, was admitted to LGH with a possible concussion, a fractured right arm and chest pains. She was listed in good condition Tuesday. According to a report by Andover police officer Jack Milne, Ms. Lorette's car was headed west on Dascomb Road when it drifted into the oncoming lane of traffic and struck Ms. Sweeney's eastbound van. Officer Milne had not been able to talk with Ms. Lorette early this week and the accident remained under investigation. Emergency personnel from Andover and Tewksbury responded.

Jack Milne who, in the midst of all the confusion and sights and sounds of ambulances and rescue squads, climbed into the back seat of the van to provide comfort to Kim McElfresh whose leg was seriously broken. Officer Milne administered his magical "treatment" of physical support to comfort Kim, who was in intense pain and shock, until she could be freed and transferred to the ambulance. Those of us in the car who could not reach Kim were also relieved to know that Officer Milne was providing assistance to our distressed friend.

Many thanks to Officer Milne - a true "gentle man" - as well as the EMTs of Andover and Tewksbury for their expertise in managing the rescue of four injured people simultaneously.

We who live in Andover can be reassured to know the caliber of rescue personnel available to the Andover community. Special thanks to Officer Milne.

Kimberly McElfresh
Joan Sweeney

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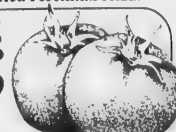
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Lloyd Willey can't be silent

Editor, *Townsmen*:

Some wise man once told me never to pick a fight with someone who buys ink by the barrel. However, I can no longer remain silent in the face of your most recent character assassinations.

Your declaration of the superintendent search process as "bogus" because it did not give the result you wanted is not unexpected and is certainly in keeping with the selective news reporting of the *Townsmen*. Based upon your characterization of the search process as "bogus," the three full days I took off from work which supports my family and the incredible number of hours the entire committee spent on this process was apparently for show.

I assure you I cannot afford such luxury nor do I consider taking time away from my family to be justified to only establish an appearance. Your denigration of the search process has done a serious disservice to the town.

On the night of the superintendent selection I presented a full 10-15 minute comprehensive review of why I voted for Mr. Neal. You chose not to report one word of the concerns I raised, particularly about Dr. Krewer (your apparent candidate). I noted that the largest school system he had ever had financial responsibility for was less than the 860 students. I further voiced concern that in his present town of Woodstock, Conn., they have been late in sending tax bills out for the last two years because, according to town officials, the people of the town would not pass the school budget. This raises some real questions about Dr. Krewer's ability to communicate effectively with townspeople other than parents and students. Based upon the happenings in The need to communicate to all

voting constituencies is vital.

There is no question Dr. Krewer can communicate with students and parents as evidenced by the popularity he developed in Andover after only interfacing with most persons singing his praise for less than one hour. However, I, and hopefully, all of the members of the School Committee, saw the selection of a superintendent as more than a popularity contest. Parents and students giving their views of the candidates had not had the opportunity to review resumes, check references, visit sites, consider past accomplishments and failures as the School Committee has had. Most people of Andover were not aware of any of the above mentioned information concerning Dr. Krewer because of the selective reporting techniques practiced by the *Townsmen*.

There were other concerns about Dr. Krewer as well that I enumerated the night of the selection and indeed there was a list of concerns given for each of the other candidates. However, the only concerns ever reported by the *Townsmen* throughout the superintendent search process were those about Mr. Neal. As another example of selective reporting, I took the opportunity of the nominating speech to explain to the best of my ability the Dr. Sam Campbell issue. It was my effort to try to properly inform the parents of West Middle School and the rest of the community how the situation likely reached its present status. Again, nothing was reported by the *Townsmen*. Rather, letters to the editor concerning the committee's non-responsiveness were highlighted to serve the editor's purpose.

It is also interesting to note the absolute inaccuracy of the editorial itself. The editorial noted that the School Committee did not listen to anyone at the meeting, the parents, the teachers nor

the students. Correctly reported, your readers should be informed that the only teachers that spoke at the meeting all spoke in favor of Mr. Neal.

I believe it is time the people of Andover were treated as intelligent, responsible adults capable of making an informed decision when presented a balanced news report. You have an obligation to be forthright in the news being reported and to keep the editorial on the editorial page and report all the news objectively and completely. I look forward to a return of the objectivity of the *Townsmen*.

Lloyd J. Willey
School Committee member

A Sam Campbell fan

Editor, *Townsmen*:

Dear Mr. Neal:

It would be only fair to tell you that I am a flag-waving, card-carrying member of the Sam Campbell fan club. That being said, let me be one of many to congratulate you on your appointment as superintendent of Andover schools.

As a strong believer in public education, I have always believed in supporting the system. Support, however, does not mean blind support. Instead, the implication is that each of us has a responsibility to encourage continuation of the good and discontinuation of

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A Sam Campbell fan

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anything less. In good conscience, how can any of us accept less than good?

Surely with the outpouring of sentiments from the community, you now realize that Dr. Campbell (at the very least) is quite good. His replacement could possibly be better but more than likely not. He has made vast improvements during his tenure at West Middle School and those of us who so adamantly support him wish only that he be allowed to continue this mission. We have no hidden agenda. We simply respect Sam Campbell and we need him to stay.

Having worked in the business world for years, I have made a few mistakes. None of us likes to make mistakes. Perhaps our strengths are best measured by our ability to deal with those mistakes; the power to change the course of events that the mistake may have started. As our new superintendent, you now have that power. What a wonderful opportunity! While he may not accept, you can certainly ask Dr. Campbell to stay.

Clearly you have a full plate in front of you right now. You also have an excellent middle-school principal. Why take even one minute in a search to replace him? Plead with him to stay and help you through the start of your administration. Moreover, solicit his help in finding his replacement should he ever decide to leave. Spend your valuable time on necessities. Replacing Sam Campbell is far from a necessity; rather it would be a shame.

So, Mr. Neal, please take the initiative. Speak with Dr. Campbell and use all of your influence to bring him back. Parents, students and teachers need Sam Campbell. We are counting on you to fill that need.

Cliff Davis
Andover

Someone's stealing trash

Editor, Townsman:

We moved to Andover about six months ago. The one thing that I have noticed is that every Wednesday I put my trash out and about 30-60 minutes later half of it is gone. It really doesn't matter what the trash is, boxes, wood, etc. As a result, mostly all my neighbors cover their trash. One neighbor uses a cart to take out his trash because he is elderly. They took his cart.

Are there any laws to prevent the trash stalkers?

Merrill Clark
6 Lansbury Lane

Supports town's tax voucher program

Editor, Townsman:

The Senior Citizens' Tax Voucher Rebate Program is one in which everyone comes out a winner. Senior citizens do 100 hours of community service in order to help reduce their tax burden.

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a job to do in a library and Barbara tried her hand at most of them, from filing cards to shelving books. Her efforts helped us complete many clerical tasks in a more timely fashion and made it possible for the library staff to concentrate on other areas.

I hope that this worthwhile program will be continued. It benefits all of us.

Jean E. Pendergrass
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Andover High School

Objecting to Poor Street development plans

Editor, Townsman:

Recently I attended a hearing on the proposed nine-unit condominium development to be constructed near the center of Shawsheen Village at 66 Poor St. Despite the fact that no public announcement was made about the hearing, many Andover residents (50+) who found out about the hearing at the last minute through the grapevine showed up to learn more about the proposal and to express their concerns about it. Unfortunately, absent from the hearing was the Tewksbury developer, Gerard Welch, and the current owners and residents of the property, Jorge and Susan Schwarz.

Had they been present, they would have witnessed the passion these attendees have for their neighborhood and the grave concern they expressed that yet another bogus project was potentially going up in Andover, right in their front yards. But presumably neither of the two parties proposing the construction of these condos are too concerned about such matters.

After all, the out-of-town developer presumably will make a pretty good "chunk of change" from the project, at no expense to the tranquility of his own neighborhood. And the residents of the Poor Street property, one of whom is a long-time Andover resident, make off with a few bags of money to live in some other peaceful place, apparently unaware how they will have sold themselves out to a developer at the expense of their neighborhood and friends. It is amazing what greed can do to a person's sense of what is right and what is wrong.

I was also disheartened by the Planning Board's near dismissal of one of the most important aspects of 66 Poor St. and that is its historical significance. This fine home, listed on the National Register of Historical Places, has an abundance of historical character and charm, as does the entire neighborhood where it resides. But this appeared to bear little relevance from the board's perspective. I guess this should come as no surprise since this is the same board that opposed the Ballardvale Historic District warrant at the recent annual town meeting, a warrant whose ultimate goal was to preserve the historical character and significance of that center. Fortunately, 165 residents or so were concerned enough to disagree with the board and the warrant was successfully passed.

There are many negative factors associated with this condo development, in addition to the fact that it pays little respect to historical preservation. The impact on traffic, the potential sewage problems, the fact that nine units are to be crammed onto only 33,000

square feet, the height of the proposed structures, and the lack of congruency with the existing historic neighborhood of single residence homes, to name just a few.

Don't get me wrong, I do not oppose development in general. But if overall it has a significant negative impact on the neighborhood and the only justification for it is that a couple of individuals want to get rich off it, then does it make sense to permit it?

I feel sorry for the owners of 66 Poor St. who apparently have no vision of the scar this project would have on Shawsheen Village. Hopefully, someone in the local government will listen to the overwhelming voices of the concerned citizens and prevent this scheme from becoming our nightmare.

Ray Flynn
5 William St.
Shawsheen Village

Making Andover more user-friendly

Editor, Townsman:

I'm writing out of confusion and disillusionment regarding life in small-town America - specifically, Andover.

While living and traveling abroad for four years, my family and I observed family life in different cultures. We watched the Spanish, the Greeks, the Russians greet each other on street corners. We saw the Italians gathering at sunset in the piazzas, the French strolling in their parks, the English gathering in their pubs - many now have "family rooms" or gardens.

Old and young mingle and talk, drink coffee, play bowles. Customs and traditions are shared, politics are debated. Respect and order prevail. In short, conviviality is encouraged.

We returned to Andover by choice nearly two years ago. Andover is a town we dearly love; our roots are here. Sadly, as time goes by, I/we are getting the feeling that Andover is not the "user-friendly" place it once was.

Some restaurants cannot provide sidewalk seating for fear of liability over personal injury. The library has to have a "No Loitering" sign. The downtown merchants are serving as entertainment for our children. The proposed youth center was nearly approved for an "out of the

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(Continued from page 46.) way" location. Even SHED and the elders are seemingly displaced. Penguin Park is tucked away so that most parents who use it are forced to drive there. (One could argue that it is meeting a neighborhood need, I realize.) I look around and can't help but ask, "What about the center of town?" New England's history includes life revolving around the "commons." It is with this in mind that I propose the following changes - oh, that word is not a popular one, I know - to the town of Andover:

1. Make a portion of Main Street - perhaps from Chestnut to Post Office Square into a pedestrian mall. Maybe even allow a food vendor or two, a couple of flower stalls, a few tables or benches realizing that people will congregate.

2. Reclaim The Park on Chestnut Street for families young, old, single by installing a small playground area. (The French and British manage this.) Designate a portion of The Park for roller blading and/or tiny tot bikers. (Or, are we soon going to ban the blades altogether?)

3. Install a couple of tennis courts near the track at Doherty Middle School.

4. Establish a bicycle path or lane on town streets - safety is an issue.

5. Locate the youth center - as its name implies - in the center of town. (Kathy Dietz made several excellent suggestions regarding the possibilities in a recent letter to the *Townsmen*.)

We may be more advanced technologi-

cally than our European counterparts, but we are surely far behind when it comes to establishing a sense of community for the families who choose to live here. (The LWV did a magnificent job with their information fair last fall.) We could now explore the ideas of socialization. Our town could be a model for change as we approach the year 2000.

These ideas are certainly costly, but unlike the Collins Center situation or the bowling alley litigation, the town would have something to be proud of a town center full of people living together and liking it.

Jan Bentley
3 Summer St.

Not in the forest

Editor,
Townsmen:

In the next 60 days Andover's selectmen will decide whether or not to level a forest behind South School in order to put in two new soccer fields and a baseball field. The fields are needed, but it is

not necessary to place them behind South School. The land behind South School is an established forest - home of many very tall pines, red fox, pheasant and many other wild creatures. There are other sites in town, not currently in a wild state, that would provide good space for the new fields.

Fortunately, a group of concerned citizens who live near the forest and know it well have been attempting to alert the community to the value of the forest and the need to choose a different site. Unfortunately, the selectmen mistakenly believe that the opposition to placing the soccer fields behind South School derives from a "not in my backyard" sentiment. This is simply not true. I live in the Bancroft School area and have two children who play soccer. I have gone to see the South School forest and it is not an appropriate place for ball fields. It is a beautiful, established eco-system with trees of comparable size and stature to those of the AVIS Goldsmith Woodlands.

Whether we choose to destroy yet another piece of wild land on this planet or

whether we choose to find spaces that are not currently in a wild state on which to build our soccer fields says a lot about who we are as a community and what our values are.

We have just celebrated Earth Day here in Andover and, in fact, we have wonderful blue flags with an earth symbol flying from our flag poles downtown. In our schools we teach our children about the importance of saving the rain forests - how we are dependent on them for our very survival.

What do we teach our children outside the classroom? How do we explain to them and to ourselves a decision to level a large section of forest in our own community when there are alternative sites available?

Is the reason for selection of this site that the forest behind South School is the least expensive alternative for soccer fields, from a monetary point of view?

While short-term economic factors should certainly be considered in making a decision, we cannot allow monetary considerations alone to dictate what our choices will be, particularly where the well-being of the natural environment

is concerned. The collapse of the New England fishing industry is an excellent example of a situation where what was good for business economically in the short term destroyed it in the long run.

So, what exactly will be destroyed in the long run in Andover if the forest behind South School is leveled to make space for soccer fields? A lot more, I believe, than trees and the homes of many wild animals (although loss of these should be reason enough to save the forest in this time when forests are disappearing at an alarming rate). Cutting down this forest strikes a blow to us all at the very deepest level of our beings. As Linda Weltner said so eloquently in *The Boston Globe* on March 16, 1995, "There is something in my nature that treasures and responds to wilderness. There is something about coming in contact with a natural world not under human control that makes my heart soar. Few things within civilization touch me as deeply or fill me with the same exultation or make me feel that I've caught sight of an aspect of God

dancing before my eyes." Cutting down this forest will diminish the spirit of all who live in Andover.

If you share my desire to save this forest, then write or speak to the selectmen, attend the public hearing that will be held on this issue. You may want to join the group of concerned citizens rep-

resenting all sides of this issue who are working together to find a more appropriate site for the soccer fields. You can also buy a T-shirt which says "Save the South School Forest," sign a petition, write to the newspaper. The South School forest is in everybody's backyard.

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180 Holt Road

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ENTERTAINMENT CALENDAR

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a.m.-4 p.m., \$5 per item; 475-2236.

Art exhibit, featuring artwork, gardens and a plant sale, sponsored by the Andovers Artists Guild, at Stevens-Coolidge Place, North Andover, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

Sally Sampson, signing copies of *Recipes from the Night Kitchen*, at Waldenbooks, Main Street, 10-11:30 a.m.

Yard sale, at Faith Lutheran Church, 360 S. Main St., 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Concert, featuring the Phillips Academy Chamber Music Society, 7 p.m., Graves Hall, Timken Room, Phillips Academy, free and open to the public; 749-4007.

Lenny Solomon, musician and juggler, performing at Crispin's Bears, 23 Barnard St., 1-3 p.m.; also, grand opening celebration including balloons and door prizes, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., free; 474-4433.

Lui Collins, performing original songs, sponsored by the New Moon Coffeehouse, at Universalist Unitarian Church, routes 110 and 125, Haverhill, 8 p.m., \$8; 373-9259, or 372-5173 on the day of the show.

Quilt show, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., see entry under Friday, May 19 for details.

Jerry and Nancy Bell, performing celtic music and storytelling, at Andover Bookstore, 89R Main St., 3-4 p.m.; 475-0143.

Pow wow, featuring Native American drumming, singing, dancing, crafts and food, at



This car full of clowns has a message for Andover: The Andona Society will hold its annual Clown Town this Saturday, May 20, from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in The Park at the corner of Chestnut and Bartlett streets, featuring rides, games, food and fun.

Stone Zoo, Stoneham, 10 a.m.-9 p.m., \$3 adults, \$1.50 children; (617) 442-2002.

Jonah, oratorio performed by the Newburyport Choral Society at La Sallette Shrine, Ipswich, 8 p.m., \$15 adults, \$12 seniors and students; 462-0650.

Six Degrees of Separation, performance at Phillips Academy, see entry under Friday, May 19 for details.

Spring dance concert, 6:30 p.m., see entry under Friday, May 19 for details.

Bird-a-thon, see entry under Friday, May 19 for details.

Wildlife festival, see entry under Friday, May 19 for details.

Two By Two, see entry under

Friday, May 19 for details.

Quilt appraisal, at the New England Quilt Museum, 18 Shattuck St., Lowell, 9 a.m.-noon and 1-5 p.m., \$25 per quilt; registration recommended, 452-4207.

Author talk, featuring Rachel Vail, young-adult author, at Memorial Hall Library, Elm Square, 10 a.m.; also, book signing at 11:30; Barbara Mortenson 475-6960.

Oklahoma!, performance by the North Regional Theatre Workshop, featuring Andover artists Beth Carriere, Jane Vondell and Sharon Fluet, at Wilmington High School, Route 62, Wilmington, 8 p.m., \$14 adults, \$11 seniors and children; 664-3949.

Royal Lipizzan Stallions, 4:30 p.m., see entry under Thursday, May 18 for details.

SUNDAY, MAY 21

Concert, performance by the Andover Choral Society, featuring works by Dvorak and Gounod, at Memorial Music Hall, Methuen, 3 p.m., \$10; 470-8747 or (617) 942-0982.

Auction, featuring antique furniture, a pump organ and computers, at the Putnam House, Bow Street, North Reading, viewing at noon, auction 1-4 p.m.; Al Holmes 475-3337.

Two By Two, 4 p.m., see entry

under Friday, May 19 for details.

Walk-a-thon, sponsored by Quota International of Andover, featuring 5-mile walk and power-walk group, at Andover Bank parking lot, registration at 9:30 a.m., walk begins at 10; information available at Vena Coco Collection, Olde Andover Village.

Royal Lipizzan Stallions, 4:30 p.m., see entry under Thursday, May 18 for details.

Jonah, see entry under Saturday, May 20 for details.

Concert, featuring Phillips Academy Chorus, 3 p.m., Cochran Chapel, Phillips Academy; also, senior recital featuring violinist Judy Lee, at Graves Hall, both concerts free and open to the public; 749-4007.

Quilt appraisal, 9-11:30 a.m. and noon-2 p.m., see entry under Saturday, May 20 for details.

Wildlife festival, see entry under Friday, May 19 for details.

Quilt show, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., see entry under Friday, May 19 for details.

Pow wow, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., see entry under Saturday, May 20 for details.

AMC hikes, sponsored by the Andover Committee of the Appalachian Mountain Club, at Nagog Woods, Acton, meet at 1:30 p.m. at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Newton Road, Acton, Pat Probst 264-4091; also, three-mile hike at Ipswich Wildlife Sanctuary, Perkins Road, Ipswich, meet at 1:30 p.m. at the sanctuary parking lot, Faith Evans 356-2098.

Batwel Rada, performing Haitian music and dance, at Northern Essex Community College, Elliot Way, Haverhill, 2 p.m., free; 374-3900.



Nancy Carlsson-Paige

TUESDAY, MAY 23

Nancy Carlsson-Paige, speaking on violence in children's lives and what can be



Jane Vondell of Andover, left, and Karl Schumaker of North Reading are featured in North Regional Theatre Workshop's production of Oklahoma! The show opens Saturday, May 20, and continues May 26 and 27 at 8 p.m. at Wilmington High School auditorium. Call 664-3949 for tickets or more information.

done about it, sponsored by the Essex County Association for the Education of Young Children, at Old Town Hall, 20 Main St., 6:30-7 p.m. registration, lecture begins at 7, audience questions at about 8:30; \$5, \$4 for members; Irene Rochwarg 685-8111 or Yvonne Beirne 683-3804.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 24

New Music Concert, featuring student compositions from the music-theory courses at Phillips Academy, 7 p.m., Graves Hall, Timken Room, Phillips Academy, free and open to the public; 749-4007.

THURSDAY, MAY 25

Gentle Parenting in a Violent Society, lecture by Susan Marx, at Low-

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▲ With a swirl of color and song, Batwel Rada will promote and celebrate Haitian culture during a free concert this Sunday, May 21, at 2 p.m. at Northern Essex. The band hits the stage with an exhilarating mix of ancient rhythms and modern pop commentary that transforms the dark scholarship of West African slave spirituality to a living, dancing reality.

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ell General Hospital, Clark auditorium, Lowell, 7-8:30 p.m., \$5; to register, call LGH community relations 937-6425.

Dick Doherty's Comedy Night, sponsored by the Rape Crisis Services of Greater Lowell, at Grill 93, River Road, 7-8:30 p.m. hors d'oeuvres and cash bar, 8:30-10 comedy show, \$15; for information call 452-7721, to reserve a table for 10, call 250-9950.

FRIDAY, MAY 26

Oklahoma!, see entry under Saturday, May 20 for details.

Academy Orchestras in Concert, featuring the Phillips Academy Symphony and Chamber orchestras, 7:30 p.m., Cochran Chapel, Chapel Avenue, Phillips Academy, free and open to the public; 749-4007.

SATURDAY, MAY 27

Oklahoma!, see entry under Saturday, May 20 for details.

Senior recital, featuring vocalist and pianist Margaret Bell, 7 p.m., Graves Hall, Timken Room, Phillips Academy, free and open to the public; 749-4007.

SUNDAY, MAY 28

Special Guest, one-act drama performed by the Andover Community Theatre at the 1995 Eastern Massachusetts Association of Community Theatres competition, at Brandeis University, Waltham, performance scheduled to begin between noon and 1 p.m.; for prices and times call 470-2288.

Senior recitals, featuring tenor Luca Borghese, 3 p.m., also, soprano Rebecca Myers, 7 p.m., both recitals at Graves Hall, Timken Room, Phillips Academy, free and open to the public; 749-4007.

Salmagundi garden and craft festival, featuring 200 crafters, floral displays, and performances by the Harbor Theatre Festival of Shakespeare in the Park, throughout downtown Newburyport, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., free.

MONDAY, MAY 29

Town Memorial Day activities, featuring commemorative services at St. Augustine Cemetery, 7 a.m., Revolutionary War Monument, intersection of School and Central streets, 7:30 a.m., American Legion Monument, Spring Grove Cemetery, 8 a.m., Grand Army of the Republic Monument, Spring Grove Cemetery,

8:20 a.m.; also, parade through the town center, featuring grand marshal and Andover native Rear Admiral James G. Prout III, USN, 9:30 a.m.; ceremony honoring Andover's World War II veterans at Memorial Auditorium, 10:15 a.m.; exhibition by the U.S. Army parachute team, The Golden Knights, followed by a concert by the Air Force Band of Liberty at Playstead Field behind Doherty Middle School, 1 p.m.; wreath-laying ceremony at the Balaun-Corregidor Veterans Memorial Bridge, routes 133 and 93, 3 p.m.; John Lewis 470-3800 Ext. 329, or Lisa Wilson 470-3800 Ext. 379.

Salmagundi garden and craft festival, see entry under Sunday, May 28 for details.

ONGOING Museums and Historic Homes

Andover Historical Society, 97 Main St.; *Sit! Portrayals of People's Pets*, through October, and *Costumes from the Collection: An 1840s Revival Meeting*, through Oct. 13, library and office hours Monday-Saturday 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Amos Blanchard House and Barn Museum guided tours Monday-Saturday 1-3 p.m.; 475-2236.

Robert S. Peabody Museum of Archaeology, Main and Phillips streets, *Pecos Pueblo: Crossroads of Cultures*, exhibition features Native American society in Great Pueblo at Pecos, N.M., from 1300 to 1838, through Dec. 30; also, *Voices on Repatriation and Renewing Tradition: Modern Pueblo Pottery*, continuing exhibits featuring collections of Native American artifacts, free; Tuesday through Friday noon-5



Andover Middle Schools Jazz Band will perform this Friday, May 19, at the Doherty Middle School Cabaret on the stage of Memorial Auditorium, at 7 p.m. The band, under the direction of Allan Minkinen, instrumental music teacher, hosted a jazz exchange with Marshall Simonds Middle School in Burlington March 22 and 24 (pictured). Both groups treated the Andover and Burlington student audiences to a variety of big band jazz music ranging from blues to Latin. The musicians had a buffet luncheon in the cafeterias and received a monogrammed shirt as a memento. The band also played at the West Middle School Cabaret, The All-Town Concert at the Collins Center and International Association of Jazz Educators Northeast District Jazz Festival, where they received a silver medal for their performance. Auditions for next year's jazz band will be held in December. Membership is open to all qualified Andover public middle school students.

p.m., Saturday 10 a.m.-1 p.m., closed holidays, 749-4490.

Castle Hill Great House, tours of the 59-room mansion available on Tuesday afternoons, 1-4 p.m., at Castle Hill, Ipswich; \$5 adults, \$3 seniors and children; through Oct. 31.

Lowell National Historic Park, ongoing programs:

National Park Week celebration, May 22-28, featuring special tours, programs and video showings;

Harnessing the Merrimack, two-hour tour includes boat and trolley ride, \$3 adults, \$1 children;

Pawtucket Canal, 75-minute tour offered daily, adults \$3, children \$1;

Lowell: The Industrial Revelation, multi-image slide show, Visitor Center at Market Mills, 246 Market St., 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m., free;

Run of the Mill, working 19th century turbine and power loom at Suffolk Mill, 11 a.m., free;

Exploring Lowell, walking tour or program presented daily at the Visitor Center, 2:30 p.m., free;

Turn-of-the-century Trolley, trolley ride, schedules at the Visitor Center, Boott Mills and trolley plat-

forms, free;

Working People exhibit, Visitor Center, daily, 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., free;

Boott Cotton Mills Museum, weave room and interactive exhibits, 400 Foot of John St., weekdays 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m., \$3 adults, youths 6-16 \$1, senior discount, children under 5 free; 970-5000.

New England Quilt Museum, at 18 Shattuck St., Lowell, *Soft Protests*, through May 28, 9 a.m.-5 p.m., \$3 adults, \$2 children; 452-4207.

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ENTERTAINMENT CALENDAR LISTINGS

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Wenham Museum, at 132 Main St., Wenham, *Flowers Inc.*, flower-related pieces on display in five different scenes, through June 4; 468-2377.

Art Exhibitions

Addison Gallery of American Art, at Phillips Academy, Chapel Avenue and Main Street, Tuesdays through Saturdays 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sundays 1-5 p.m., closed Mondays and national holidays; free and open to the public; Duncan Will 749-4015.

Ongoing exhibits:

Robert Frank: The Americans, exhibit includes the 84-image sequence edited by Robert Frank, chosen from more than 20,000 photographs recorded during two Guggenheim Foundation trips around America in 1955 and 1956, through July 9;

Canyon Suite, featuring 28 watercolors created by Georgia O'Keefe, through June 11;

Masterworks from the Addison Collection, through July 31.

Kurt Landry, exhibition of photographs at Memorial Hall Library, Elm Square, May 13 through May 31.

Main Street by Dorothy Piercy, Ford's Coffee Shop mural, on view in the lobby of town offices; tote bags on sale at the Andover Historical Society to defray cost of restoration of Ford's Mural Fund, Andover Historical Society, 97 Main St.; 475-2236.

Possession, exhibition of Haitian voodoo photographs by Lynne Warberg, at Northern Essex Community College, Bentley Library, Haverhill,

through June 7.

Wilda Gerideau Squires, Andover resident and member of Andovers Artists Guild, artwork on display at Frames Unlimited, Shawsheen Plaza, through May 31.

Dot Starkweather, Andover resident, exhibition of watercolors at Bishop's Restaurant, Lawrence, through May 31.

Theatre

Jar the Floor, drama performed by the Merrimack Repertory Theatre, 50 E. Merrimack St., Lowell, through May 20; call for times and prices, 454-3926.

Last of the Red Hot Lovers, featuring Bill Jobert and Maureen Woodell of Andover, comedy performed by the Delvena Theatre Company, 105 Pleasant St., Arlington, through May 21; \$12 adults, \$10 seniors and students, admittance half-price on Sundays for those wearing love beads; call for times, (617) 643-9993.

Meetings

The Activities Network, social sports and recreation club for single adults, mid-week meetings in various locations; call 352-6987 for information.

AIDS Action of Andover Mothers Group, for mothers and other family members of people who are HIV-positive or who have AIDS, meets twice a month; call AIDS Action of Andover for information, 470-2626.

Amateur Shakespeare reading group, meets on Thursdays, 7:30-9

p.m. in the activities room, Memorial Hall Library, currently reading *Antony and Cleopatra*; Vicky Johnston 475-4651.

Amnesty International, Merrimack Valley Chapter; meets every second Tuesday of the month, in room 310 on the 3rd floor, Merrimack College Library, 7:30 p.m.; Debbie, 683-0737.

Greater Lawrence Camera Club, Wednesdays, Trinitarian Congregational Church, 72 Elm St., North Andover, 7:30 p.m.; Faith Morgida 687-2377, Richard Morton 664-3140.

Israeli folk dancing, lessons weekly, Temple Emanuel, Sundays, 7 p.m., \$3; Orit Goldstein 475-3133, or Merrimack Valley Jewish Federation 688-0466.

Merrimack Valley Chapter of Embroiders Guild, third Tuesday of the month, Lee Oulette 458-6183 or Jane McCord 942-1349.

Mother of Twins Club, meets monthly in Saugus, call for location and dates, Allene Crusco (617) 245-3556, or Katie Monahan

664-4545.

Newburyport Civil War Roundtable, meets the first Monday of every month at the Ten Center Street restaurant, 10 Center St., Newburyport, 7:30 p.m.; Victoria Ladd 373-1723 or Kevin Brightney 465-2215.

Nicotine Anonymous, meets weekly at Faith Lutheran Church, 360 S. Main St., 7:15-8:30 p.m., 475-0183.

Parents Anonymous, meets weekly in Haverhill, Lowell, and Lawrence; no fees or dues; 1-(800) 882-1250.

Parents, Families, and Friends of Lesbians and Gays, Merrimack Valley Chapter, monthly meeting, at the North Parish Church, 190 Academy Road, North Andover, 7:30-9:30 p.m.

Parents without Partners Minuteman Chapter #817, newcomers orientation meeting, second and fourth Tuesdays of each month, Royal Hawaiian Restaurant, 34 Cambridge St. (Route 3 south), Burlington, 7:30 p.m.; 667-6834 or Sharon Johnson (617) 272-

8785.

Square-dancing, every Monday; Amvets Hall, Primrose Street, Haverhill; 8 p.m., Grace 373-3932, Eddie 774-7266.

Toastmasters International, 2nd and 4th Mondays of the month, 7-9 p.m., in Prescott Nursing Home, Route 125, North Andover, Tod Wakeman, 683-0939.

Writers' group, Northern Essex Community College library, Elliot Room, every Thursday, 7 p.m.; free; (603) 898-6332.

Parks and Recreation

Harold Parker State Forest, scenic hiking and bridle trails, campground and picnic areas, campsites available \$6 per night, for reservations call 686-3391.

Children

Family Day at the Tsongas Center, Boot Cotton Mills Museum, 400 Foot of John St., Lowell, 2 p.m., every Sunday, \$2 per person age 6 through adult, 970-5080.

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Three members of the Twins, a Major Little League team, take time out from a recent game to pose for the photographer. They are, from left, Greg Drapeau and Chris Barry, both West Elementary School students, and Paul Chiozzi, a student at St. Augustine's School.

Softball struggles with Haverhill

By Rick Harrison

The struggles continued for the Andover High varsity softball team last week with a 15-0 loss to Merrimack Valley Conference runaway Large School Division leader Haverhill (12-1 record), and a hard-fought 4-1 setback to Small School co-leader Methuen (10-4).

The Lady Warriors were scheduled to play non-league rival North Andover and MVC opponent Billerica earlier this week.

The 20-game 1995 season comes to a close with three MVC contests next week at Chelmsford (Monday), home against Lowell (Wednesday) and at Dracut (Friday).

**Haverhill 15
Andover 0**

The Hillies, who have lost just one game and lead the MVC Large School Division, eased ahead 4-0 early and broke the game open with eight runs in the fourth.

"Certain teams, like Haverhill and Wilmington, always seem to hit well against us," said coach Pellerin. "Others like Dracut, Methuen and Billerica struggle against our pitchers."

"We hit the ball hard in this game, but Haverhill has some outstanding athletes and they made a lot of excellent plays in the field."

Junior Vanessa Blank (broken nose) returned to the lineup and to the mound for Andover, and she could easily have been locked in a pitchers' duel with Hillies' hurler Danielle Bretton.

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Volleyball aims for the Alliance with perfect 14-0

By Rick Harrison

The busier the schedule the better the Andover High men's volleyball team plays.

That was apparent last week when the Golden Warriors, forced to play three matches in three days, won them all in convincing 2-0 sweeps while producing some of its best volleyball of the season.

Coach George Sullivan's undefeated squad moved within one win of clinching its fifth North Alliance championship in seven years, registering consecutive victories over Lowell, St. John's Prep of Danvers and Chelmsford.

That boosted AHS to 14-0 overall, including 10-0 in league play, and the locals entered this week leading tri-runnersup Chelmsford, Lowell and Methuen (all 7-3) by three matches with only four remaining on the Alliance schedule.

Andover, 94-29 since the inception of the program in 1989, could clinch the crown outright with victories at Billerica this afternoon (3:30) and at Dracut High tomorrow evening (6 p.m.).

The Warriors also hosted non-league rival Brockton High earlier this week, and wrap up pre-State Tournament action next week when they host St. John's Prep on Monday (4 p.m.) prior to road matches at

Methuen on Wednesday and at Latin Academy in Boston on Friday (both 3:30).

Eleven of Andover's first 14 matches ended in 2-0 sweeps.

Injury report

Junior setter Sean Rodriguez will apparently sit out the entire season with a hip tendon injury, letting the problem heal completely so he can return 100 percent healthy for his senior seasons in soccer and volleyball.

Senior middle hitter Matt Gibson (ankle injury) was expected to return to the lineup against Brockton this past Tuesday.

**Andover 2
Lowell 0**

"We worked hard on conditioning and serving the day before this match," said coach Sullivan, whose team halted a three-match Lowell win streak with hard-fought 15-10 and 15-12 wins at the Red Raiders' Riddick Memorial Field House.

"The key is to get control of the serve and mix it up. Every player wants to pound the serve as hard as possible, but if you can toss in a roundhouse, jump and floating serve it keeps the opponent off balance."

"This was our best effort of the season up to that time," continued Sullivan. "I didn't substitute much, which kept the continuity, and the players on the

floor meshed together well."

"Both games featured excellent hitting and solid backcourt defense by both teams. The Lowell gym has a high ceiling, which the kids like, but the lighting is poor."

Captain Tim Foley finished with 13 kills and 26-of-28 good hits, while Captain Sean Croteau added seven kills and 23-of-27 hitting.

"Sean was diving all over the floor and played an outstanding defensive match," noted Sullivan.

Junior outside hitter Pat Hess contributed seven blocks, junior middle hitter Joe Hogarty six blocks, and senior middle hitter Abdul Ortiz five blocks.

Outside hitter Aaryn Schmuhl once again was a defensive standout.

AHS was 58-for-62 serving, with four aces and only four errors.

The winners played without senior middle hitter Matt Gibson and standout server-defender Paul Krasnoo.

**Andover 2
St. John's Prep 0**

The Golden Warriors efficiently dispatched the host Eagles 15-5, 15-8 in their makeup match postponed from April 28 because of the SJP prom.

Andover was 50-of-52 serving and 36-of-34 on serve receive.

Tim Foley had his jump serve working, and also contributed nine kills, while Joe Hogarty had five kills and Abdul Ortiz four kills.

Sparkplug Sean Croteau had another strong match defensively, and other all-around standouts were senior outside hitters Andy Shen and Eric Thompson.

**Andover 2
Chelmsford 0**

The winners fell behind 5-1 and 7-2 early in both games at the Dunn Gym, but battled back for 15-10 and 15-8 victories to complete a season series sweep of the Lions (9-4 overall).

Andover once again was guilty of few errors, finishing 56-for-58 serving and 43-of-51 passing.

"Chelmsford was blocking us big."

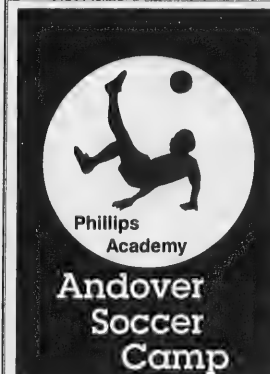
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Volleyball aims for the heights with perfect 14-0

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time at the beginning," said coach Sullivan, who had Lions' head coach Karen Robillard as his assistant when the pair guided the Merrimack College women volleyballers several years ago.

"We were going 1-on-1 with them too much. Once we started moving the ball around, and playing smart volleyball, we fought back.

"Tim Foley and Sean Croteau were fly-

ing all over the court again, making saves and doing an excellent job of setting as a tandem. Abdul Ortiz also rose to the occasion with another solid performance at middle hitter."

Foley finished with 10 kills, 10 defensive digs and was 20-for-23 hitting, while hustler Croteau added 12 digs and 17-for-18 hitting. Joe Hogarty produced nine blocks and four kills, and the defense was anchored by Pat Hess and Aaryn Schmuhl.

Andover JVs

The AHS junior varsity, 13-1 overall, beat Lowell 2-0 with game scores of 15-8 and 15-10. Leading the hitting attack were sophomore Nick Wilson with six kills, junior Jon Adams four kills, junior Eric Bourassa and sophomore Zach Gray five kills each. The top setters were junior Jeong An and sophomore Shawn Connors.

Andover cruised past Chelmsford 2-0, making only four service errors (46-for-50)

in the 15-5, 15-4 romp. Wilson had five kills, Bourassa four kills, Jeong An six service aces, and all-around standouts were Gray and Connors.

St. John's Prep handed Andover its first loss, 2-1, weathering a frenetic comeback by the locals in the third game. SJP won the first game, 15-7, Andover the second, 15-5, and SJP took the deciding game 15-13 after AHS almost erased a 14-5 deficit with eight straight points.

Softball continues grueling season with big loss to Hillies

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Haverhill did manage 10 hits, but only three of the runs were earned as AHS committed 10 errors.

Bretton, in shutting the locals out for the second time this spring (3-0 earlier), spaced four singles by junior Elaine Licata (first inning), senior Captain Aprille Canniff (third inning), Blank (fourth inning) and junior outfielder Meghan Lynch (fifth

inning).

Freshman infielder Kristi Keller played well defensively at second base.

Catcher Sarah Jewett had three hits, two RBI and scored twice as the leadoff batter for Haverhill.

Melanie Duston added two hits, scored three runs and collected three ribbies.

Methuen 4

Andover 1

Vanessa Blank tossed a six-hitter, but it

wasn't enough as the visiting Rangers broke a 1-1 tie with the go-ahead run in the fifth.

Then the visitors added two insurance markers in the top of the sixth inning at the West Middle School field.

Michelle Crispo continued her hot hitting for the Lady Warriors, keeping her average above .400 with a perfect 2-for-2 day at the plate.

Noelle Blank added one hit and Elaine

Licata scored the lone AHS run in the bottom of the fourth to deadlock the game briefly.

Andover allowed Small School Division co-leader Methuen (10-4) only seven runs in two games this spring.

The local team could manage only one run itself.

Leadoff batter Michelle Dailey laced two hits and drove home the winning run to pace the Rangers.



Lindsey S. Marsh, a student in Dorothy McCormack's third-grade class at Sanborn School, gets ready to catch the ball at the opening day baseball game at her school recently. She hit two home runs in that game. During the summer she plays softball in the town league. Lindsey is the daughter of Molly and Stephen Marsh, of Reservation Road.

Photo by Lisa Adelsberger

AHS baseball smashes East Boston 13-1

By Rick Harrison

The Andover High varsity baseball team put the skids to a four-game losing streak with a 13-1 non-league rout of visiting East Boston High.

Defeats to Eastern Mass. Tournament qualifiers Central Catholic (7-2) and Lawrence High (7-5) had stretched the losing streak to four games, before AHS rebounded with the romp over East Boston.

"We self-destructed in the four losses," offered head coach Ken Maglio. "Too many errors have been the key all season. It's frustrating, but hopefully we can turn things around now and finish strong down the stretch."

The locals, who won back-to-back state Division 1 titles in 1991 and 1992 and were Eastern Mass. Division 1 North champions for the third time in four years last spring, needed three victories in

their final seven games to qualify for the tournament for the 14th straight year.

Andover (5-5 league, 7-6 overall) hosted Methuen yesterday, plays at Chelmsford tomorrow (3:30), and concludes MVC action next week with games at Lowell on Monday and home against Central Catholic on Wednesday.

The regular season wraps up over the Memorial Day weekend with a pair of games in the annual Lawrence Invitational Tournament at Mark Devlin Field, which Andover has won five straight years.

Statistics

Andover boasted a hefty .323 team batting average through the first 13 games.

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AHS tennis teams set to clinch MVC titles on Monday

By Rick Harrison

Andover High's twin tennis juggernauts continued to roll along undefeated atop the Merrimack Valley Conference with recent victories over Haverhill, Methuen and Tewksbury.

Coach Tony Russo's Lady Warriors entered yesterday's match at Billerica with a 12-0 record this spring.

The women have earned a 77-match MVC win streak dating back to a 3-2 loss to Lowell on May 21, 1990.

They also own a 150-1 mark in their last 151 league matches and a 162-9 ledger in their last 171 matches including non-league and tournament play.

Coach Mike Wartman's AHS men were 13-0 in the MVC and 13-1 overall as they battled Billerica.

The Golden Warriors are 168-9 in their last 177 MVC matches and 194-21 in their last 215 overall.

Both Andover teams play Lawrence High tomorrow.

Both can clinch league titles with victories next Monday against second place Chelmsford at the Lions' courts (3:30 p.m.).

It would be the sixth straight MVC championship and eighth in 10 years for the women.

It would be the third consecutive crown and 10th in 12 years for the men.

The regular season concludes next Wednesday against Lowell for the women.

The men host Lowell on Wednesday and wrap things up Thursday versus Central Catholic.

The single-elimination Eastern Mass. Division 1 North Sectional Tournament will open shortly thereafter.

North Sectionals

In the annual North Sectional Individual Championships, whose first few rounds were rained out last Saturday and rescheduled for Mother's Day,

AHS men's captains Mike Stein and Kurt Dahlstrand both survived the opening day by posting several singles victories.

Stein, seeded No. 2, and Dahlstrand, at No. 8, return to the courts this weekend as the single-elimination tournament continues its countdown to the state finals next month at Longwood Cricket Club.

The Golden Warriors were not as fortunate in doubles, where Jay Levine and Dave Sullivan won twice before being ousted.

Ravi Tharisiyandy Andy Ravens duo was also eliminated.

Andover women

Haverhill threw a big scare into the Lady Warriors, almost ending the league win streak at 74 straight matches before bowing 3-2.

It took a come-from-behind three-set victory at second doubles, by junior Kristen Marsh and Sarah Plamondon, to keep Andover undefeated and two

matches ahead of second place Chelmsford.

Marsh and Plamondon dropped the opening set to the Hillies' Kate Dixon and Katie Alvino, 4-6, but rallied to win the last two convincingly, 6-2 and 6-1.

Andover's other two points came from undefeated sophomore No. 1 Heather Young, who tossed a double bagel (6-0, 6-0) at Anne Marie Driscoll.

The unbeaten first doubles tandem of senior Jackie LeMaitre and junior Andrea Marvin who also rolled 6-1, 6-0 against overmatched Jill Calliri and Erika Anderson.

Senior Captain Jen Griffin and junior Cindy Su both lost hard-fought singles matches.

Griffin edged in a three-setter (7-5, 0-6, 4-6) by Samatha Cerasuolo at No. 2 and Su nipped 6-7, 5-7 in a two-set struggle by Ellyn Torosian at No. 3.

Andover defeated Haverhill 4-1 earlier this spring.

Second singles and second doubles were competitive in a 5-0 whitewash of Methuen.

The Lady Warriors ultimately swept everything in straight sets for the eighth time this spring.

Heather Young once again pitched a 6-0, 6-0 shutout, this time at the Rangers' Lauren Valerio.

The third singles produced a 6-1, 6-0 stroll for Lauren Roda past Methuen's Jen Cormier.

Jackie LeMaitre and Andrea Marvin dropped just two games in a 6-0, 6-2 romp at first doubles.

Jen Griffin worked her way past stubborn Sarita Patel 6-2, 7-5 at second singles.

Senior Captain Kelly Mitchell and junior Meghan Pauley were stretched at second doubles before registering a 6-2, 7-5 victory over their pesky opponents.

Andover men

The Golden Warriors needed no heroics against Haverhill, posting their 11th consecutive shutout while once again sweeping every match in straight sets.

Juniors Andy Ravens and Marc

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Sluggers sweep East Boston, 13-1

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Top hitters among the regulars were Dana DiFiore (.476), Nate Roberts (.387), Tom Tanin (.378), Jason Caverly (.368), Brian Tisbert (.333), Tom Gardner (.324), Pete Daniels (.280) and Dana McCann (.279).

Tanin led the team in hits with 17, while Caverly had 14, Gardner 12, Roberts 12, Tisbert 12 and McCann 12.

Gardner (14), Tisbert (12) and Mike Maguire (11) were tops in runs scored.

RBI leaders were Tanin (13), McCann (11), Gardner (11), Caverly (9) and Tisbert (8).

Tisbert was also team-high in walks (17) and stolen bases (9).

On the pitcher's mound, the team ERA is a solid 1.92 with top two starters Mark Langone at 0.54 and Tom Clarke at 1.86.

In 37 2/3 innings, Clarke had yielded 27 hits and struck out 39 which would seem to indicate a record better than his 3-5. He pitched a five-inning no-hitter against East Boston.

Langone was 3-1, and in 26 innings had surrendered only 18 hits and two earned runs while fanning 26 and walking six. He tossed a complete-game two-hit shutout against Tewksbury.

Jason Caverly had the other win, and boasted a 1.67 ERA with 16 strikeouts, six walks and nine hits allowed in 12 1/3 innings.

Andover 13

East Boston 1

The Golden Warriors completed a non-league sweep of the Jets, outscoring them 29-1 in the two games, as freshman Jason Caverly and sophomore Marc O'Sullivan combined for a one-hitter.

The game was halted after 4 1/2 innings by the 10-run mercy rule. Tom Clarke had fired a no-

hitter in Andover's earlier 16-0 romp which was also abbreviated to five innings.

Caverly (1-0) notched his first varsity pitching victory with three-innings of one-hit ball, losing the no-hitter on a clean one-out single to left field in the second stanza.

O'Sullivan mopped up with two hitless frames in relief, striking out three and walking one.

The home team wasted no time putting this one away, sending 12 batters to the plate in the bottom of the first and scoring six runs.

Sophomore Brian Tisbert drew a leadoff walk, stole second and third, and scored on Tom Tanin's one-out single. Tanin stole second, took third on a wild pitch, and tagged on Caverly's sac-fly after Captain Tom Gardner had walked.

Dana McCann laced a two-out single, Nate Roberts rescued Gardner with a single, Mark Langone singled to score McCann, and the last two runs were forced home after consecutive walks to Pete Daniels, Tisbert (RBI) and Captain Mike Maguire (RBI).

Andover made it 10-0 with four runs in the third, Roberts singled, Langone clouted an RBI triple to right-center, Daniels and Tisbert walked to load the bases, and Tanin hammered a three-run triple to left field.

The final three runs crossed in the fourth as sophomores Rob Busby and Ryan Games singled, Dana DiFiore was hit by a pitch, junior catcher Ted Witman laced an RBI single, Tisbert drew his fourth straight walk to collect his second ribbie, and Rob Derba plated DiFiore by hoisting a sac-fly to left.

Langone, Roberts and Tanin

led the 11-hit attack with two safeties each, while Gardner added a hit that didn't figure in the scoring. Tisbert, Roberts and Langone scored two runs apiece.

A season-high 18 players made an appearance in the game for Andover.

Earlier Games

In the 7-2 loss to Central Catholic, the Golden Warriors managed only four hits as Red Raiders' ace righthander Matt Cassano (2-2) bested senior righty Tom Clarke (3-4) on the mound.

Mark Langone led the locals' offense with two hits and one RBI, while Tom Gardner and Dana DiFiore added one safety each and the runs were scored by Mike Maguire and Nate Roberts.

Jason Caverly, Marc O'Sullivan and Chris Kearn pitched in relief, but Central erased a 1-0 deficit with five runs in the fourth and two more in the sixth inning at Merrimack College's Warrior Field.

Eric Tridenti contributed two hits and two RBI as CCHS qualified for the Eastern Mass. Division 1 North Tournament with the triumph.

In the 7-5 loss to Lawrence High, errors killed Andover which squandered a 4-3 sixth-inning lead. Tom Tanin ripped a long two-run triple for the Warriors.

Dana McCann also tripled down the right field line and other hits were added by Brian Tisbert, Mike Maguire and Tom Gardner.

Starting pitcher Mark Langone (3-2) worked four solid innings and could have won with better defensive support. Dana McCann and Cris Brown also hurled in late relief.

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Collins' squads win boosters meet for 31st year

By Rick Harrison

For the 31st time in head Coach Dick Collins' 36 seasons, Andover High has won its own Boosters Invitational Track and Field Meet. The AHS men's and women's teams, once again displaying their celebrated depth, combined to score 285½ points in last Saturday's rain- and wind-swept meet at the Eugene V. Lovely oval.

Andover athletes combined to place first in eight of the 35 events (18 men, 17 women), with individual victories by Susan Ashlock, Missy Famiglietti, Amy Levesque, Jon Hall, Adam Westaway, Mike Marcinonis and Scott Savage.

"There were some remarkable performances considering the weather," said coach Collins.

"This was also the last meet for many kids trying to qualify for states. It's too bad for them it was such a rainy, windy, cold day. Our athletes rose to the occasion, as we always do in this meet, and defeated two schools (Reading, Tewksbury) that also have very strong men's and women's teams."

The Golden Warriors were not as successful on the dual meet front last week, as the Andover men lost their showdown to Central Catholic, 90-50, at Veterans Memorial Stadium in Lawrence.

Both teams were undefeated and tied for first place in the Merrimack Valley Conference Large School Division entering the meet.

Central improved to 4-0-0 in the division and 6-0-0 overall, clinching at least a tie for the title, while Andover fell to 3-1-0 in the division and 6-1-0 overall.

The dual meet season concluded yesterday with AHS hosting Haverhill at the Lovely oval.

At stake for the Lady Warriors was the MVC title, which would be their third straight, and a 22-meet league win streak outdoors dating back to a 70-61 loss to Tewksbury on April 15, 1992.

There have been three non-league losses, all to Phillips Academy, during that time (1992, 1993 and 1994).

The Haverhill and AHS women were both 3-0-0 in the league prior to yesterday, and Andover was 6-0-0 overall.

The annual MVC Championship Meet is scheduled for Saturday at Cawley Memorial Stadium in Lowell (10 a.m.). The State Class B, All-State and New England Championship Meets will follow on consecutive Saturdays (May 27, June 3 and June 10).

Andover Boosters Invitational

In addition to winning the overall combined team title, Andover was also the top scorer in the men's division with 159½ points and second to Reading in the women's division (135-126).

Jon Hall and Scott Savage were the most versatile performers for the AHS men.

Hall tied his personal-best leap of 6'4" to win the high jump, added a fourth place in the 400 meters (52.2), and joined Kevin Shepard, Charlie Russo and Matt Ely on the third-place 4x400 meter relay team (3:39.2).

Savage won the closest race of the day, clocking 15.52 in the 110-meter high hurdles

to nip Tewksbury's Pat Daykin (15.53) at the tape. Savage also placed fifth in the triple jump with a 41'2 3/4" leap.

Adam Westaway placed first in the triple jump after soaring a personal-best 43'10 1/2" and Mike Marcinonis contributed a personal-best 22'1 1/2" leap to win the long jump competition.

The champs grabbed three of the top five places in the pole vault, with Dan Taylor second (11'6"), Peter Ellis fourth (11'0") and Vin Dolan fifth (11'0").

Also contributing second places were shot putter Steve Muench (44'7"), long jumper Tim Smith (20'9 3/4"), two-miler Eskinder Graham (10:05.8) and Josh Hatch in the 200-meter dash (23.3).

The AHS 4x100 meter sprint relay quartet of Matt Auferio, Hatch, Alex Dalis and anchor Jeff Arsenault finished second (45.0), along with the 4x800 meter relay crew of Mark Adams, Greg Foltz, Don Pattullo and Chris Fromme (8:39.0).

Notching third places were Rudy Morando in the javelin (143'9"), Matt Muench in the discus (121'2"), Eric DeMarco in the 300-meter intermediate hurdles (42.5), Matt Ely in the 800 meters (2:01.7) and miler Charlie Russo (4:46.2).

Ellis added another fourth in the 110-meter high hurdles (16.1) and Arsenault was fourth in the 100 meters (11.8).

Other fifth places were nailed by John Blais in the discus (116'3") and Kevin Shepard in the 400 meters (54.1).

Tom Woods tied for sixth in the high jump (5'4"), Mike Couture was sixth in the 800 meters (2:15.1), Dalis sixth in the 100 meters (12.1) and Max Soong sixth in the 300 hurdles (44.5).

On the women's side, Amy Levesque participated in two victories by winning the 200-meter dash (26.8) and joining Randi Spiegel, Laura Burkle and Jamie Barron on the first-place 4x100 meter sprint relay squad (51.6).

Susan Ashlock was a comfortable 13-second winner over Tewksbury's Lori Quinn in the two-mile (11:52.0), and Missy Famiglietti established a new meet record of 36'4" en route to winning the triple jump.

A key to the team triumph was the women's 1-2-3 finish in the triple jump, with Famiglietti followed by Allyson Ahern (35'1") and Eveline Yang (34'8").

Kim Daher was second in the shot put (33'1"), and Burkle added a second place in the 100 meters (13.5).

The Lady Warriors also took three of the top five spots in the 100, Burkle joined by Spiegel in fourth (13.6) and comebacking Jamie Barron fifth (13.7).

Barron finished third in the long jump (16'11 1/4"), Kate Jurdi was third in the discus (86'4"), and Courtney Barron third in the 300-meter intermediate hurdles (49.3).

AHS relayers placing third were the 4x400 quartet of Amanda Verreault, Leah Sciabarrassi, Charlotte Muller and Ashlock (4:22.2), along with the 4x800 crew of Viki Pierce, Megan Roth, Liz Kelley and Kolleen Cronin (9:45.1).

Long jumper Liz Salvia (14'5"), shot putter Sue Tully (30'6") and 100-meter high hur-

der Barbara Contos (17.1) each placed fourth, while high jumper Stephanie Brown (4'10"), 300-meter hurdler Sarah Muller (50.4) and javelin thrower Beth Cummins (89'3") were all fifth.

Completing the scorers in sixth were Abby Clarke (800 meters, 2:36.8) and miler Erin Collins (5:53.0).

Central Catholic 90

Andover men 50

The Golden Warriors finished first in seven of the 16 events contested (no 4x400 relay), but the Red Raiders swept the discus, placed 1-2 in four other events, and outscored Andover 43-20 in the field and 47-30 on the track.

Andover winners were junior triple jumper Adam Westaway (41'6"), sophomore pole vaulter Peter Ellis (12'0"), senior hurdler Scott Savage (110-meter highs, 15.8), junior sprinter Josh Hatch (200 meters, 23.4), senior Captain Matt Ely with an excellent 2:00.0 in the 800 meters, junior miler Charlie Russo (4:38.0) and senior two-miler Eskinder Graham (10:14.2).

Adding the only second places were senior long jumper Mike Marcinonis, and senior Captain Jon Hall who tied his personal-best with a 6'4" leap in the high jump.

Andover had nine third place finishes by senior shot putter Steve Muench, junior Rudy Morando (javelin), Westaway (long jump), pole vaulter Vin Dolan, junior hurdler Eric DeMarco (110 highs and 300-meter intermediates), senior sprinters Jeff Arsenault (100 meters) and Hall (400 meters), and senior Chris Fromme (800 meters).

Andover resident Ned Finneran helped Central beat his hometown school with a winning 49'1 1/2" toss in the shot put and a second place in the discus.

Andover men 111 1/2

Chelmsford 33 1/2

The Golden Warriors placed first in 16 of the 17 events, sweeping both hurdles and finishing 1-2 in the pole vault, javelin, discus, 100 meters, 400 meters and 800 meters.

Senior Captain Jon Hall and senior Scott Savage were double winners, while Mike Marcinonis contributed a first and second place in addition to anchoring a winning relay.

The Golden Warriors outscored the Lions 46 1/2 to 16 1/2 in the seven field events and 65-17 in the nine running events.

Hall cleared 6'4" in the high jump to tie his personal-best, and he also won the 400 meter dash (53.3), while Savage captured the 110-meter high hurdles (16.0), the triple jump (38'4") and placed third in the long jump (19'1").

Senior Mike Marcinonis earned a first in the long jump (20'6") and a second in the 100 meter dash (11.9).

Other individual field event winners for AHS were junior pole vaulter Dan Taylor (11'6"), senior shot putter Steve Muench (46'1'4"), sophomore Craig Hartwell (javelin, 143'6") and Jon Blais (discus, 122'7 1/2").

In the running events the victors were junior Chris Richter (300-meter intermediate hurdles, 42.8), senior Jeff Arsenault (100 meters, 11.8), junior Josh Hatch (200 meters, 23.6), senior Captain Matt Ely (800 meters,

2:01.5), junior miler Charlie Russo (4:43.5) and senior two-miler Eskinder Graham (10:27.0). The Andover 4x100 meter sprint relay quartet of Matt Auferio, Hatch, Arsenault and anchorman Marcinonis also placed first (45.4).

Completing the sweeps in the hurdles were runners-up Mike Shaughnessy (100-meter highs, 16.4) and Max Soong (300-meter intermediates, 42.83), while junior Eric DeMarco placed third in both the highs (16.9) and intermediates (43.06).

Other second places were taken by pole vaulter Vin Dolan (11'0"), junior Rudy Morando (javelin, 138'11"), sophomore Matt Muench (discus), senior Captain Kevin Shepard (400 meters, 53.6) and senior Chris Fromme (800 meters, 2:05.7).

Adding thirds were junior shot putter Andy Lynch (40'2"), junior triple jumper Chris Mann, Costello (200 meters, 24.0) and sophomore two-miler Todd Collins (10:49).

Andover women 88

Chelmsford 48

The Lady Warriors finished first in 11 of the 16 events, sweeping the triple and long jumps, discus and 100 meters.

Juniors Missy Famiglietti and Katie Jurdi earned double wins for the locals, while sophomore Stephanie Brown uncouiled an outstanding leap of 5'2" to capture the high jump.

The Barron sisters, Courtney and recently-returned Jamie, contributed one second and one third place each.

AHS outscored Chelmsford 50-4 in the six field events while the Lions held a slim 44-38 edge in the 10 running events.

Famiglietti once again dominated the jumps with firsts in the triple (34'7 1/2") and long (16'5"), while Jurdi dominated the throws by winning the javelin (96'1") and discus (83'9 1/2").

Also emerging victorious were Brown in the high jump, senior shot putter Kim Daher (34'2"), freshman Barbara Contos (100-meter hurdles, 16.9), junior Randi Spiegel (100 meters, 13.3), senior Captain Amy Levesque (200 meters, 26.1) and junior miler Susan Ashlock (5:14.7).

The times by Levesque and Ashlock were extremely swift.

Andover also won the 4x100 meter sprint relay with Spiegel, Levesque, junior Laura Burkle and anchor Barbara Contos (51.1).

Completing the sweeps were junior Allyson Ahern (34'2") and senior Captain Eveline Yang (33'11") in the triple jump, senior Amy Baker (16'2") and senior Captain Jamie Barron (15'10") in the long jump, sophomore Sue Tully (83'2 3/4") and senior Christine Contos (82'11") in the discus, Jamie Barron (13.9) and freshman Beth Har (14.2) in the 100 meter dash.

Other runners-up were Tully (shot put, 30'10"), senior Leah Mason (javelin, 93'7"), freshman Sarah Muller (tie in high jump, 4'10"), freshman Courtney Barron (300-meter intermediate hurdles, 50.7) and junior two-miler Erin Collins (12:41.1).

Additional third places were garnered by Courtney Barron (100-meter high hurdles, 18.3), Burkle (200 meters, 27.6) and senior Amanda Verreault (400 meters, 67.2).

Tennis teams aim for Merrimack Valley Conference laurels again

(Continued from page 55)

Formichella rolled to identical 6-0, 6-1 victories over Haverhill's Matt Anderson and Andy Stevens at first and third singles respectively.

Junior Ravi Tharisiy edged Huy Nguyen 7-5 in the first set at No. 2 singles, and then coasted to a 6-1 decision in the second set.

Junior Jay Levine and sophomore Dave Sullivan meshed well at first doubles, rolling to a 6-2, 6-1 victory.

Freshman Dave Gutstein and junior Joel Elzweig took no prisoners in a 6-0, 6-0 romp at No. 2.

In another rapid-fire 5-0 victory, this time over Methuen, the locals showed tremendous efficiency by dropping only

two games in singles and three in doubles.

Junior Captain Mike Stein returned at No. 1 and peppered Dave Zukofsky 6-1, 6-0.

Junior Captain Kurt Dahlstrand duplicated the domination with a 6-0, 6-1 gallop past John Minasian.

Sophomore Ross Fenton capped the sin-

gles' blitz with a 6-0, 6-0 triumph at No. 3.

Jay Levine and Dave Sullivan were slotted at No. 1 doubles again, notching a symmetrical 6-1, 6-1 win over the Rangers' Nick Patel and Sam Bragg.

Dave Gutstein and versatile Andy Ravens hooked up at second doubles and roared to a crisp 6-1, 6-0 victory.

SPORTSTALK

Amie Wilmer, a Phillips Academy graduate and Andover resident, was recently honored with an Alumni-Varsity Award at Haverford College in Haverford, Pa. The award is given annually to the top athletes in the graduating class who have made a strong impact on the athletic program.



Amie Wilmer

A captain of the field hockey and lacrosse teams, Wilmer has earned all-conference honors three times in her career and has been the lacrosse team's leading scorer in each of the past two seasons.

Despite reconstructive knee surgery at the start of her junior year, she still leaves Haverford with well over 125 career goals in lacrosse, an average of approximately 2.5 scores per game.

This past spring Wilmer led her team with 53 goals in 14 contests. She also served as a delegate to the Centennial Conference student advisory board.

The political science major graduated May 14 and plans to travel to Siberia next year as part of a Phillips Academy exchange program.

Angela Chongris of Andover, a freshman at Colgate, was chosen Patriot League's 1995 Rookie of the Year in women's lacrosse. She led all league first-years in scoring with 29 goals and 11 assists, and finished second on her team, scoring 40 points.

Ms. Chongris helped earn Colgate its second Eastern College Athletic Conference berth in five years and scored two goals in the Red Raiders' 14-10 loss to Yale in the ECAC semifinals.

She scored a personal and team season high six goals and two assists in an 18-12 upset over 14th-ranked Lafayette.

Amy DiAdamo, of Andover, a sophomore at Middlebury College, scored three goals in the women's lacrosse final game of

the season, a 9-8 loss to Williams.

Ms. DiAdamo is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carmine DiAdamo.

For the second consecutive season, the Middlebury women's lacrosse team has been selected to play in the NCAA women's lacrosse tournament.

Chris Hall of Andover, a senior at Muhlenberg College in Allentown, Pa., was honored as the "Player's Player" of the men's track team at the college's recent senior sports dinner.

The Player's Player is each varsity sport's most valuable player, as decided by a team vote. Hall, a sprinter, is the school record-holder in four events: 100, 200- and 400-meter runs and 4x100 relay. He was Muhlenberg's top scorer at the Centennial Conference Outdoor championships, placing second in the 200 and third in the 100 and anchoring the seventh-place 4x400 relay team.

Hall also won the Player's Player honor as a junior, when he was Centennial Conference champion in the 100 and 200, the first time in more than 50 years a Muhlenberg track athlete had accomplished that feat.

The Colby-Sawyer women's lacrosse team posted a 3-9 record for the season.

Megan Miller, a freshman from Andover, recorded all three wins-in-goal and was giv-

en the Coach's Award as the player who did the most to positively influence the program. The first-time goalkeeper recorded season-highs of 18 saves on two occasions.

Julia Diane Worcester is senior captain of the Princeton University women's rugby team, which won the eastern championship in April and national women's rugby championship in May, with a 20-0 defeat of Penn State.

Ms. Worcester was named an All-American at the championship ceremony.

She is graduating this month with a degree in civil engineering and will attend Officer Candidate School for the U.S. Navy with future plans to include the Navy construction battalion.

She was valedictorian of the Andover High School class of 1991.



Julia Worcester

YOUTH SOCCER

Bullets 4 - Razors 0

Bullets' goals were scored by Molly Klarman (two), Monika Eghbalian and Christiana Kuipers. Emily Farmer made outstanding saves in goal. Martha Dietz had several close scoring opportunities and Alison Page played strong defense.

Booter of the week: Meg Sullivan, Colleen Haugh and Laura Craig-Comin.

Bullets 3 - Stoppers 1

Bullets' goals were scored by Molly Klarman (two) and Emily Farmer. Meg Sullivan and Colleen Haugh played well on offense.

BOW: Alyson Gerber and Martha Dietz.

Bullets 6 - Shadows 2

Bullets' goals were scored by Lisa Valleria, Christiana Kuipers, Alison Page, Colleen Haugh, Martha Dietz and Monika Eghbalian. Alyson Gerber played strong defense.

BOW: Anjali Singh, Emily Farmer and Laura Craig-Comin.

Bullets 3 - Crashers 1

Bullets' goals were scored by Molly Klarman, Emily Farmer and Lisa Valleria. Laura Craig-Comin made terrific saves in goal and Alison Page was relentless on defense.

BOW: Monika Eghbalian and Christiana Kuipers.

Under 12 Division

Blaze 2 - Salem Speed Demons 0

Katie Witman took a through pass from stopper Janice Chu 11 minutes into the second half and scored the Blaze's first goal. Keeper Kerri Axelrod snuffed out two Salem attacks. Two minutes from time, stopper Kaitlin Hill received a drop pass from Lisa Tisbert and lofted a 35-yard shot to beat the keeper for the insurance goal.

BOW: Robin Young and Allison Pennelli.

Andover Rocks 3 - Merrimac 2

Andover dominated the first half with good offense from Brittany Lonerio, Liz Sullivan, Rachel Koffman and Kate Kramer. Midway through the period Allison Dexter took a pass from Kate Lombard and dribbled through traffic to shoot and score. The defense of Jessica Urbellis, Alice Gregory, Lisa Tylus and Shannon Sweeney helped goalie Allison Caffrey maintain her shutout through the first period.

Jole Sawyer, Meri Rawlinson, Diane Liu and Meghan O'Connell were strong in the crucial midfield positions. Then Dexter scored her second goal on a pass from O'Connell to tie the game. Gregory, Sweeney and Rawlinson, all had good chances to score but Merrimac had exceptional goaltending.

The second-half defense of Lonerio, Kramer, Lombard and Caffrey played big throughout the period and midfielders Tylus, Liu, Sullivan and Koffman kept Merrimac from scoring again. With time running out, Andover mounted a charge with midfield work from Rawlinson who kept the ball in front of the Merrimac net. A flurry of shots from O'Connell and Jessica Urbellis created a scramble until Dexter pushed the ball to Kate Kramer who scored with 20 second remaining in the game.

Under 14 Division

Andover Falcons 1 - Saugus Hawks 0

Jeff Sterns scored the winning goal on an assist by Will Payne. Mike Lewis, Bobby Eckel and Jake Hall played excellent defense.

BOW: Philip Delude and Michael Dowd.

Andover Falcons 1 - Marblehead Tornadoes 1

David Kidd scored a long-distance goal with an assist from the wind.

BOW: Goalie Vincent Montalbano and Brad Studenhaus.

Andover Falcons 2 - Gloucester Beira Mar 2

Brian Galluzzo and Jimmy Gustin scored Andover's goals.

BOW: David Kidd and David Krasik.

Andover Falcons 0 - Beverly Bulldogs

Despite many shots on goal, the game remained scoreless. Andover dominated the game with tight defense and aggressive offense.

BOW: Dom Palumbo and Michael Zizzo.

Under 16 Division

Andover United 2 - Newburyport Indians 4

Mark D'Agostino scored in a goal-mouth scramble after a pass from David Nassiff. Michael Monteiro scored on a great individual effort after a pass from David Chapin. Monteiro and Craig Powers made several outstanding saves while halfbacks Patrick Coleman and Robert Demers and fullbacks Stephen Scarpulla and Brent Siniawski played great defense.

Under 12 Division

Blaze 3 - Danvers Thunder 2

Kerry Nugent scored midway in the half when her shot was knocked down by Danvers' keeper and Kaitlyn Sarantos netted the rebound. Danvers scored a minute later. In the second half, keeper Kerri Axelrod knocked down a Danvers' shot but an alert attacker tucked in the rebound for a goal.

Midway in the half, Allison Pennelli made a solid defensive stop in Danvers' end. Jen Annesse collected the ball, changed field to Katie Witman who beat the keeper

to the back post. Kaitlyn Sarantos shut down a Danvers' back with seven minutes to play and fed Amy Herlihy who scored from a tough angle.

Strong marking and back play was turned in by Diana Petersen, Kaitlin Hill, Janice Chu, Robin Young, Steph Pierce and Kerryn O'Connor.

Booter of the week: Bridget Gomes and Tay Traub.

Under 16 Division

Andover United 0 - Pentucket Dragons 2

The first half was scoreless. Pentucket went ahead to stay eight minutes into the second half and added an insurance goal at the 28-minute mark. Goalies Michael Monteiro and Craig Powers made many saves. Halfbacks Patrick Coleman and Matthew Rogers and fullbacks Blake McCauley, Stephen Scarpulla and Brent Siniawski played solid defense against a strong Pentucket attack.

Under 14 Division

Andover Raiders 1 - Lynnfield Lazars 0

Jessica Olans scored the Raiders' goal with assists from Jennifer Roberge and Siobhan Landry. Laura Schrader and Anna Vining were goalkeepers.

Under 12 Division

Andover Blaze 1 - North Andover Crusaders 0

The winning goal play started with Allison Pennelli's defensive stop of a Crusader. Katie Witman collected the ball, drove toward defenders and slotted a cross toward Amy Herlihy. Amy's first touch shot beat the keeper cleanly. Team defense never allowed a quality shot on keeper Robin Young.

Booter of the week: Jen Annesse, Kerryn O'Connor and Taylor Traub.

Legion baseball tryouts are this Sunday

The Andover American Legion Post 8 baseball team will hold a tryout and registration session this Sunday, May 21, at 1 p.m., at the Andover High varsity field.

All candidates must be Andover residents between the ages of 16 and 18 years, and may not reach their 19th birthday prior to Aug. 1, 1995.

Post 8 has won the District 8 Legion championship five of the last six years, and has reached the State Tournament Final Eight four of the last six years.

"We've established a tradition that we want to continue for years to come," said head coach Joe Iarrobino.

Last summer Post 8 finished with an 18-5 overall record, winning zone and district titles before beating Natick and losing to Arlington in a best-of-3 state tourney preliminary round playoff series.

Returning from that team are 11 players including Tom Gardner, Dana McCann, Brian Tisbert, Todd Harris, Hugh Quattlebaum, Tim McGovern, Rick Mendez, Alex Marshall, Justin Connors, Ryan Jacobson and Dave Salafia.

In addition to playing regular season Zone 8 opponents, who include archrivals Methuen Post 122 and Lawrence Post 15, Andover will play non-league games this year against several other traditional powers including Lowell Post 87, Reading Post 62 and Nashua, N.H.

There are also plans to compete in the Morriston Tournament at Lynn's Fraser Field in July.

The State Tournament will be hosted by Lowell this summer with all games at Alumni Field (off Route 38).

Returning to coach Post 8 this season are Joe Iarrobino and Steve Tisbert.

Little League scores for the week

Week two results of Major Little League

May 8:
Indians 10 - Twins 7
Giants 5 - Braves 3

May 9:
Pirates 6 - White Sox 5
Red Sox 3 - Mets 2

May 10:
Braves 5 - Twins 1
Indians 12 - Cardinals 3

May 12:
Twins 4 - Mets 3
Cubs 8 - Red Sox 5

May 13:
Braves 10 - White Sox 8
Indians 11 - Pirates 3
Cubs 10 - Yankees 7

Principal search starts

By Neil Fater

Although many would like to see Sam Campbell come back next year, the school department has assembled both the paper screen committee and the interview team that will select the next principal of West Middle School.

According to acting assistant superintendent Denise Littlefield, both the West Middle School PTO and the school council were asked to select parents to be placed on these committees.

Ms. Littlefield said 10 parents expressed interest and each of these parents was placed on one of the groups.

She said a notice was also sent to every teacher in the school.

"We made it as inclusive as possible," she said. "I just wanted to do this with integrity and fairness."

The paper screen committee will go over each of the 27 applications the Andover schools have received for this position. There are six teachers, six parents and one principal on this screening committee, said Ms. Littlefield.

After the paper screen committee limits the number of qualified applicants, the interview team will take over the process.

The principal decision ultimately will be made by Dick Neal, superintendent of schools. Mr. Neal said he hopes to have a new principal selected by early June.

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POLICE LOG

ARRESTS

Tuesday, May 9 - At 8:23 a.m., Scott P. Wallace, 25, of 5 Elm St., was arrested on Florence Street and charged with operating after suspension and on a warrant for unlicensed operation.

Wednesday, May 10 - At 11:11 p.m., Michael D. Lemay, 35, of Lawrence, was arrested on River Road and charged with operating after revocation of his license and with defective equipment.

Friday, May 12 - At 6:23 p.m., two 15-year-old Andover boys were arrested off Harold Parker Road in Harold Parker State Forest and charged with being minors transporting alcohol after a resident reported a gathering of youths with beer.

Saturday, May 13 - At 6:58 p.m., Stanley H. Cooper, 48, of 1 Ashford Lane, was arrested at his home after the report of violation of a 209A restraining order. He was charged with assault and battery and violation of a protection order.

Sunday, May 14 - At 10:14 p.m., John J. Shaughnessy, 18, of 140 Osgood St., North Andover, was arrested on Bartlet Street and charged on a North Andover default warrant for larceny.

Monday, May 15 - At 1:36 a.m., Joshua J. Kelley, 20, of 47 Enmore St., was arrested on River Road and charged with operating under the influence (alcohol), failure to keep right, and being a minor transporting alcohol. A 19-year-old Lowell Street man with Mr. Kelley was placed in protective custody.

INCIDENTS

Tuesday, May 9 - At 10:58 a.m., a 209A restraining order was served to an employee of a business on Frontage Road.

At 9:18 p.m., the fire department handled the report of a campfire on the railroad tracks near 31 Lowell Junction Road.

Wednesday, May 10 - At 12:53 p.m., a Harold Parker Road woman reported she ran over and injured a groundhog in her driveway and asked for help with it. Animal control officer Wayne Nader was notified.

Thursday, May 11 - At 1:42 a.m., Officer Rick Edson was reported involved in a pursuit of a white Mustang on Shawsheen Road. The chase went into North Andover and Lawrence before the Mustang was lost on Route 495 southbound.

Friday, May 12 - At 9:42 p.m., a large campfire was reported in the woods off Harold Parker Road. The fire department and state police were handling it, but state police then asked for assistance, reporting they had young people running through the woods and some were throwing stones at passing cars. Five cars found in the area were towed.

Sunday, May 14 - At 2:44 a.m., Offices James Moses transported a youth home to 150 Main St. after he was found in-line skating.

ACCIDENTS

Tuesday, May 9 - At 2:18 p.m., an accident was reported near 300 N. Main St.

At 9:47 p.m., a man reported a hit-and-run accident in the lot at Shawsheen Plaza.

Wednesday, May 10 - At 8:55 a.m., an accident with minor injuries was reported in front of Greater Lawrence Technical School at 57 River Road.

At 2:15 p.m., another minor accident was reported in front of the Tech School.

At 2:57 p.m., an accident was reported near 40 Park St.

At 3:20 p.m., a two-car accident was reported in front of McDonald's at 200 N. Main St.

At 3:44 p.m., an accident was reported in the lot at Andover High.

At 5:32 p.m., an accident reported on Interstate 93 southbound at Route 133 was handled by state police.

Thursday, May 11 - At 8:04 a.m., an accident was reported near 15 Lowell St.

At 8:27 a.m., an accident involving a woman possibly having a heart attack was reported near 95 High St.

At 9:18 a.m., a Water Department

truck was involved in a minor accident with another vehicle in front of the post office at 15 Stevens St.

At 11:32 a.m., a minor accident was reported in front of First Essex Bank at 71 Main St.

At 1:22 p.m., a hit-and-run accident was reported at Barron's Country Store, 442 Lowell St.

At 2:04 p.m., a two-car accident with injuries was reported on Dacomb Road. (See photo, page 46.)

At 3:27 p.m., an accident was reported near 72 Chestnut St.

At 5:07 p.m., an accident with injuries was reported near 20 Central

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Police Log

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At 6:13 p.m., a fender bender was reported on River Road, at I-93.

Saturday, May 13 - At 7:32 a.m., an accident was reported near 354 N. Main St.

At 9:05 a.m., an accident was reported in front of the YMCA on Haverhill Street.

At 12:51 p.m., a minor accident was reported near 80 River Road.

At 2:59 p.m., an accident was reported near 1 Lovejoy Road.

At 3:02 p.m., injuries were reported after a car struck a pole near 10 Harding St.

At 5:06 p.m., a hit-and-run accident was reported in Shawshen Plaza.

At 7:45 p.m., a car was reported on its roof on I-93 north-bound near Dascomb Road. State police handled it.

At 9:59 p.m., Officer John Pathiakos reported damage to his cruiser.

Monday, May 15 - At 12:37 a.m., a minor accident was reported near 3 Chandler Road.

At 12:07 p.m., a two-car accident was reported on Lowell Street near Canterbury Street.

At 2:06 p.m., an accident was reported near 300 N. Main St.

At 2:37 p.m., an accident was reported near 30 Beacon St.

At 3:18 p.m., an accident with injuries was reported near 81 Gould Road, at Phoenix Place.

BREAKS
 Tuesday, May 9 - At 8:59 p.m., scuba equipment was reported taken in a car break at Greater Lawrence Technical School on River Road.

Wednesday, May 10 - At 3:48 p.m., video equipment and other items were reported taken in a car break on Chapel Avenue Tuesday.

Saturday, May 13 - At 4 p.m., a break into a vacant house was reported on Ayer Street.

Monday, May 15 - At 12:56 p.m., a break into South School was reported to have occurred over the

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POLICE LOG

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WEEKEND

THEFTS

Wednesday, May 10
- At 9:08 a.m., a purse was reported lost or stolen at Penguin Park on Burnham Road.

At 8:01 p.m., two hubcaps were reported taken off a 1993 Volkswagen Jetta on Balmoral Street.

Thursday, May 11
- At 5:24 p.m., a theft was reported at a house on Milton Circle.

At 5:52 p.m., a VCR and camcorder were reported taken from a home on Memorial Circle.

Friday, May 12 - At 11:01 a.m., a car phone was reported taken from a car at the Andover Marriott on River Road.

At 3:43 p.m., an attempt to pass a bad check was reported at a business on North Main Street.

At 4:06 p.m., a lap top computer was reported missing from Marshalls in Brimstone Square.

Saturday, May 13 - At 6:59 p.m., a bike was reported taken at Phillips Academy.

Sunday, May 14 - At 7:14 p.m., a pocketbook was reported lost or stolen at Indian Ridge Country Club.

Monday, May 15 - At 11:35 a.m., a theft from a storage container was reported at Dundee Park, off Essex Street.

At 5:40 p.m., a bike was reported taken at Phillips Academy.

At 5:58 p.m., a mailbox, post and all, was reported taken on River Road.

VANDALISM

Tuesday, May 9 - At 8:18 a.m., a Greenwood Road woman reported an ongoing problem with someone letting her horse loose at night.

Friday, May 12 - At 1:22 p.m., a lock was reported cut off the door leading to a transformer room at Doherty Middle School.

Saturday, May 13 - At 2:44 p.m., mailbox damage was reported on Southridge Circle.

CAR THEFTS

Wednesday, May 10
- At 5:49 a.m., two men were reported stealing a car on Longwood Drive. A 1991 Honda Accord was taken.

(The Honda was recovered in Lawrence at 7:16 p.m. that day.)

Saturday, May 13 - At 1:57 p.m., a woman reported her boyfriend stole her 1987 Plymouth Voyager while her son was on the hood of the vehicle. (The Voyager was recovered about two hours later in Lawrence.)

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS LAND COURT DEPARTMENT OF THE TRIAL COURT (SEAL) Case No. 217455 To Ho Jung Won, Wae S. Won and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended: Platte Valley Funding L.P. claiming to be the holder of a mortgage covering real property in Andover numbered as 18 Olde Berry Road given by Ho Jung Won and Wae S. Won to Old Stone Mortgage Corporation dated August 31, 1987 recorded at Essex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds in Book 2581 Page 58 and now held by Plaintiff by assignment has filed with said court a complaint for authority to foreclose said mortgage in the manner following: by entry and possession and exercise of power of sale.

If you are entitled to the benefits of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended and you object to such foreclosure you or your attorney should file a written appearance and answer in said court at Boston on or before the 19th day of June 1995, or you may be forever barred from claiming that such foreclosure is invalid under said act.

Witness, ROBERT V. CAUCHON, Chief Justice of said Court this 3rd day of May, 1995
Charles W. Trombly, Jr.
Recorder
May 18, 1995

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF APPEALS NOTICE OF HEARING

A public hearing will be held at MEMORIAL HALL LIBRARY, SECOND FLOOR, in MEMORIAL HALL, ELM SQUARE, ANDOVER, ON THURSDAY, JUNE 1, 1995 at 6:30 P.M., on the petition of GRE Trust, Rte. 152, #104, W. Nottingham, N.H. 03291 for a variance from the requirements of Article VIII, Section V.A. of the Zoning By-Law to allow the construction of a single family residence on a lot that does not have frontage on a public way. Premises affected are VACANT LAND WITH

FRONTAGE ON GLENWOOD ROAD EXTENSION, Andover, Ma. in a Single Residence C District and is shown on Assessor's Map 101 as Lot 39.

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A public hearing will be held at MEMORIAL HALL LIBRARY, SECOND FLOOR, in MEMORIAL HALL, ELM SQUARE, ANDOVER, ON THURSDAY, JUNE 1, 1995 at 6:30 P.M., on the petition of ROBERT BENGSTON, 1 Kalia Circle, Andover, MA 01810 for a variance from the requirements of Article VIII, Section V.A. of the Zoning By-Law to allow the replacement and extension of an existing porch. Premises affected are located at 1 KALIA CIRCLE, Andover, Ma. in a Single Residence C District and is shown on Assessor's Map 216 as Lot 8.

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May 18 & 25, 1995

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF APPEALS NOTICE OF HEARING

A public hearing will be held at MEMORIAL HALL LIBRARY, SECOND FLOOR, in MEMORIAL HALL, ELM SQUARE, ANDOVER, ON THURSDAY, JUNE 1, 1995 at 6:30 P.M., on the petition of NANCY L. ALLARD, 43 Rocky Hill Road, Andover, MA 01810 for a variance from the requirements of Article VIII, Section IV.B.4.B. of the Zoning By-Law to allow the use of a mobile home as a temporary dwelling for more than one year and/or a special permit under Article VIII, Section IV.B.38A of the Zoning By-Law to allow a temporary mobile home to be used as an in-law apartment.

Premises affected are located at 43 ROCKY HILL ROAD, Andover, Ma. in a Single Residence C District and is shown on Assessor's Map 63 as Lot 17A.

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roadway and other accessory improvements within 50 ft. of a certain water body or watercourse. Premises affected are VACANT LAND WITH FRONTAGE ON BROWN STREET, Andover, Ma. in a Single Residence C District and is shown on Assessor's Map 197 as Lot 13B.

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the POWER OF SALE contained in a certain mortgage given by SANDRA L. PADELLARO to COMMERCIAL CREDIT CORPORATION of 1399 Washington Street, Hanover, Massachusetts, said mortgage being dated August 29, 1991, and recorded in the Essex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds in Book 3311, Page 291, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing same will be sold at public auction at One O'Clock P.M. (1:00 P.M.) on the 20th day of June, 1995, on the mortgage premises below described, being that certain parcel of land, all and singular, the mortgaged premises with all buildings and structures thereon, situated in Andover, Essex County, Massachusetts, and being further bounded and described as follows:

A certain parcel of land with buildings thereon situated on Linda Road, Andover, Essex County, Massachusetts, being shown as Lot 1 on a plan made by W. A. Mason & Son, Civil Engineers, dated June 10, 1955, duly recorded with Essex North District Deeds, as Plan No. 3086, to which plan reference is hereby made for a more particular description, and containing 30,000 square feet of land according to said plan.

Subject to and with the benefit of easements of record so far as now in force and applicable

BEING the same premises conveyed of Sandra L. Padellaro by deed of Frank V. Padellaro dated January 30, 1979 and recorded in the Essex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds in Book 1362, Page 405.

Being the premises known as 4 Linda Road, Andover, Massachusetts.

SUBJECT TO a mortgage given to Maiden Cooperative Bank dated January 30, 1979 and recorded in the Essex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds in Book 1362, Page 406.

The aforementioned premises will be sold subject as above and to all outstanding tax titles, municipal or other public taxes, easements, assessments or liens, if any.

TERMS OF SALE: TEN THOUSAND AND 00/100 (\$10,000.00) DOLLARS will be required to be paid in cash or by certified check by the purchaser at the time and place of sale as earnest money. Said deposit is to be held in escrow by Albert J. Beaumier, Attorney for Commercial Credit Corporation, 175 State Street/Suite 400, Springfield, Hampden County, Massachusetts. The balance is to be paid in cash or by certified check within twenty (20) days thereafter to be deposited in escrow with the office of ODIERNA & BEAUMIER, 175 State Street/Suite 400, Springfield, Hampden County, Massachusetts. The purchaser will be responsible for all closing costs, Massachusetts deed excise stamps and all recording fees.

The Mortgagee reserves the right to sell the property, by foreclosure deed, to the second highest bidder at the sale in the event of a default by the successful bidder.

Other terms, if any, to be announced at sale.

COMMERCIAL CREDIT CORPORATION

Present Holder of Said Mortgage

By ALBERT J. BEAUMIER, J.D.

Its Attorney and duly authorized agent

ODIERNA & BEAUMIER

175 State Street/Suite 400

Springfield, Massachusetts 01103

(413) 737-0101

May 18 & 25, June 1, 1995

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Eugene L. Mainen and Barbara K. Mainen to Amesogek Bank, dated January 19, 1987 and Recorded in the Essex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds in Book 2410, Page 265, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of conditions contained in said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing, the same will be sold at PUBLIC AUCTION on the mortgaged premises, known and numbered as 1 DEERFIELD WAY, ANDOVER, MASSACHUSETTS, on JUNE 13, 1995 AT 10:00 O'CLOCK A.M., being all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit:

The land with the buildings thereon in Andover, Essex County, State of Massachusetts situated on the southwesterly side of High Plain Road and the westerly side of Deerfield Way and being shown as lot 1 on a "Subdivision and Acceptance Plan - Deerfield Way, Andover, Mass.", October 7, 1983, Andover Consultants, Inc., R. L. S., which plan is recorded at the North Essex Registry of Deeds as Plan #9356 and thus bounded:

1. Northeasterly by said High Plain Road, 196.43 feet;
2. Easterly by said Deerfield Way, 151.98 feet;
3. Southeasterly by lot 2 on said plan, 216.86 feet;
4. Westerly by land now or formerly of George Chongris, Trustee of Harry Loosigan, 395.18 feet.

Containing 43,560 square feet of land, more or less.

Said premises being the same premises conveyed to Eugene L. Mainen and Barbara K. Mainen by deed of Princeton Place Realty Trust, dated August 8, 1984 and recorded in Book 1849, Page 204, North Essex County Registry of Deeds.

The premises are to be sold subject to and with the benefit of all easements, covenants, restrictions, building and zoning laws, unpaid taxes, tax titles, water bills, municipal liens and assessments, rights of tenants and parties in possession, existing encumbrances and all other claims in the nature of liens having priority over the mortgage, if any there be. The premises are to be sold subject to the right of redemption of the United States of America, if any there be.

The mortgagee reserves the right to postpone the sale to such subsequent time and date as the mortgagee may deem advisable by public proclamation at the time and date appointed for the sale.

TERMS OF SALE: A deposit of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars will be required to be paid in cash or by certified check or bank treasurer's or cashier's check by the purchaser at the time and place of sale as earnest money to be held at the option of the mortgagee as liquidated damages for any breach by the buyer. The balance is to be paid in cash or by certified check or bank treasurer's or cashier's check within thirty (30) days thereafter, at which time the deed shall be delivered.

Other terms, if any, to be announced at sale.

CME GROUP, LTD.,

a Limited Partnership whose General Partner is

CME Associates, Inc.

present holder of said mortgage

By its Attorney

Joseph E. Boulanger, Esq.

11 Chestnut Street

Andover, MA 01810

(508) 475-6505

May 18 & 25, June 1, 1995

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A public hearing will be held at MEMORIAL HALL LIBRARY, SECOND FLOOR, in MEMORIAL HALL, ELM SQUARE, ANDOVER, ON THURSDAY, JUNE 1, 1995 at 6:30 P.M. on the petition of THOMAS & WANDA CALLAHAN, 63 Forest Street, Wilmington, MA 01887 for a special permit under Article VIII, Section IV.B.38A of the Zoning By-Law to allow an in-law apartment. Premises affected are located at 24 Flint Circle, Andover, Ma. in a Single Residence A District and is shown on Assessor's Map 20 as Lots 47A.

DANIEL S. CASPER,
CHAIRMAN
BOARD OF APPEALS
May 18 & 25, 1995

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF APPEALS NOTICE OF HEARING

A public hearing will be held at MEMORIAL HALL LIBRARY, SECOND FLOOR, in MEMORIAL HALL, ELM SQUARE, ANDOVER, ON THURSDAY, JUNE 1, 1995 at 6:30 P.M. on the petition of ROBERT J. & MARGARET I. JURGEN, 88 Summer Street, Andover, MA 01810 for a variance from the requirements of Article VIII, Section V.A. of the Zoning By-Law and/or a special permit from the requirements of Article VIII, Section VII.A.1 of the Zoning By-Law to allow the construction of a porch that will not meet minimum side yard setback requirements. Premises affected are located at 88 SUMMER STREET, Andover, Ma. in a Single Residence A District and is shown on Assessor's Map 21 as Lot 188.

DANIEL S. CASPER,
CHAIRMAN
BOARD OF APPEALS
May 18 25, 1995

POWER OF THE PRESS

Classified Information



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PROPERTY TRANSFERS

The following is a list of properties in Andover that sold from May 1 to May 9.

1 Henry A. Prussman IV bought 23 Center St. for \$200,000 from Henry A. Prussman. The mortgage is with BayBank.

2 George D. Ellis Jr. bought 4 Anderson Circle, Lot 2, for \$459,900 from LB Getty Corp. The mortgage is with Assurance Mortgage Corp. of America.

3 Andover Park Realty Trust bought off Federal Street, Lot 3, for \$434,500 from Anper Corp.

4 Carole J. Giglio bought 4 Colonial Drive, Unit C1-6, for \$62,900 from Colonial Drive Corp. The mortgage is with Stoneham Cooperative Bank.

5 North Andover Realty Trust bought Stafford Lane, Lot 84, for \$175,000 from Kenji Real-

ty Trust.

6 Larry L. Larsen bought 3 Bryan Lane, Unit 14, for \$201,000 from Christine A. Estabrook. The mortgage is with North American Mortgage Co.

7 Theodore E. Dawson bought 762 Elm St., Lot 1, for \$305,000 from John E. Kinsky. The mortgage is with Mortgage Network, Inc.

8 John Nevin bought 95 Greenwood Road, Lot 2, for \$235,100 from Vito P. Frazzette. The mortgage is with Olde Towne Mortgage Co. Ltd.

9 Joseph R. Manzo bought Unit B 1-5 Colonial Drive for \$54,900 from Colonial Drive Corp.

Source: Essex County Registry of Deeds, Lawrence branch.

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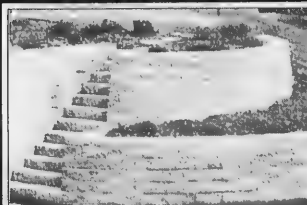
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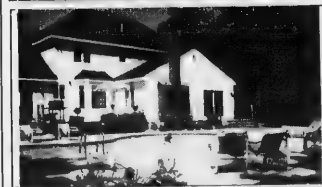
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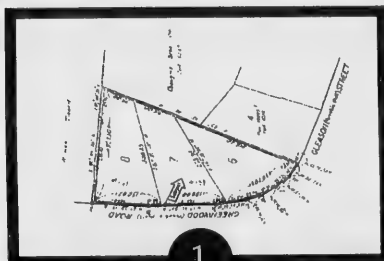
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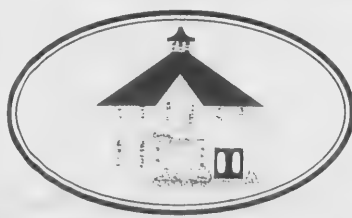
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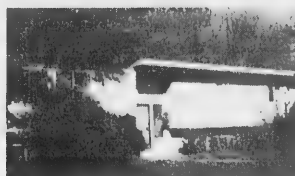
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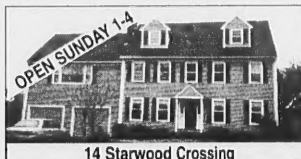


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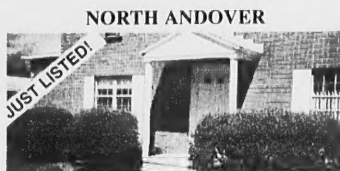
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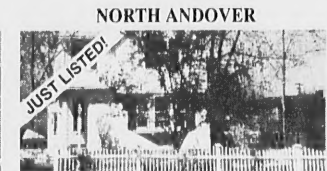
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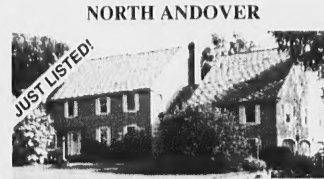
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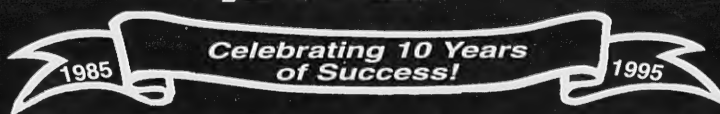
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